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### DAWSON EXPECTS SUCH ORDERS

Executives Absent From City; Report Not Confirmed

TERM EXPIRES SAME DATE

Public Dances and Parties Held to be Affected

New Year's eve may be a dull occasion in Lima.

A combination of city statutes and an anticipated order from Mayor F. A. Burkhardt to the police department, may combine to cut short practically all celebrations scheduled here for the big night.

Chief M. F. Dawson of the police department was looking for Mayor Burkhardt Friday, in an effort to get an executive ruling.

**MAYOR ABSENT FROM CITY.**  
Burkhardt is in Columbus and as a result police must wait for orders from the executive after his return. City statutes, however, it observed, will force hotels and dance halls to close at 11 o'clock Saturday night in every case where the party is of public nature.

The fact that New Year's day falls on a Sunday this year, is also expected to have some effect on the situation.

In any event, a technically may save the entire situation for those who seek to celebrate the incoming year.

Burkhardt's administration comes to a close at midnight, December 31. His orders would be effective only until that time, it is held. In event he sees fit to order public dances discontinued at 11 o'clock, as the statutes provide, it is possible for them to be resumed again at midnight, if the incoming administration takes no stand on the situation.

**ARREST POSSIBLE.**

However, managers of public parties place themselves in position of possible prosecution under ordinances that will remain effective until changed by the new administration.

Chief Dawson said Friday he was not in position to speak for the city administration on the ruling. He declared he would await word from the mayor. He said he expected the usual observance of Sunday to be ordered by city officials.

Private parties, in any event, would not be affected by the ordinance or statutes, he said.

### MAYOR HYLAN MAY BE JAILED

Faces Contempt of Court Charge in Budget Slash

NEW YORK.—(By Associated Press)—Mayor Hylan and other members of the board of estimates of this city face a jail sentence for contempt of court unless they restore to the city budget, not later than December 25, some \$3,000,000 alleged to have been illegally deducted from the pension funds for police and other civil service employees.

The appellate division of the supreme court has upheld the writ of Mandamus issued by Supreme Court Justice Mulligan directing the restoration of the deducted sums.

City Comptroller Craig had requested a reduction of \$10,000,000 in order to have the budget comply with the constitutional provision that it must not exceed 2 per cent of the assessed valuation of the city's real and personal property.

Instead, the board of estimates deducted only \$278,000 from the regular appropriations and failed to provide for pension funds of \$3,000,000 made mandatory by the state constitution.

City Comptroller Craig asserted legislative action would be necessary to straighten out the financial middle.

### VETERANS' HEIRS TO USE SPECIAL BONUS BLANKS

COLUMBUS—Compensation for heirs at law of service men who died during the war or since, must be applied for on special blanks being printed by the board of adjusted compensation, it was learned here today.

The board estimated that about 1,000 veterans of the World War have died since the signing of the armistice. These, together with the slightly over 6,000 who were killed or died from sickness or wounds during the war, will compose the group whose compensation must be collected by their heirs at law.

Compensation for those who died during the war will be paid from the time of entrance into the service until the time of their death, and for those who died since being discharged for the service will be paid until the date of such discharge.

## NEW GAS RATE FOR LIMA TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON

Case Closed Before State Commission—City May Pay \$1 for Fuel—Accountant for Council Proves Valuable to Gas Company

New rates for natural gas in Lima probably will be set by the Public Utilities Commission shortly after the first of the new year. This became apparent with the close of the gas hearing before the commission at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

All evidence in the controversy now is before the state body, both the city and the gas company resting their case Thursday afternoon. The only remaining steps before the commission fixes the rate is the privilege of the city to file a brief within a week and permission for the company to answer the city's brief immediately. These briefs may sum up testimony and figures, only.

While neither city officials nor officers of the gas company would hazard a prediction as to what the commission will do in the matter of rates, comparison of the figures submitted on valuation and operating cost with those of other cases would indicate that the rate will be close to \$1 a thousand.

The city, which was represented by Solicitor Garling assisted by George H. Quall and W. H. Leese, placed Howard L. Kay, public accountant, on the stand Thursday afternoon. Kay recently made a check of the Lima Natural Gas company's books for the city.

**DIVIDENDS ARE SMALL.**  
Kay testified that he had made a complete audit of the company's accounts for the last 20 years and that he found the average yearly dividend paid during that period was only 3.16 per cent. He said the total earnings for the last six years applicable to investment were 4.75 per cent.

Kay dealt the city's contention that the company has watered stock a hard blow when he said he found that the capital stock is the same today as it was in 1902, altho approximately half a million dollars had been put into the plant account since 1902.

He also testified that in his complete search of the company's records he had found no connection between the Lima Natural Gas company and the Medina Gas & Fuel company as has been charged by the city. He said there is no overlapping of officers or directors of the two companies shown.

The Lima company is a subsidiary of the United Gas Improvement company, of Philadelphia, while the Medina company is a subsidiary of Cities Service of New York, a Doherly organization.

**ORDINANCE NOT UP.**  
There was no testimony or argument in favor of the 55-cent rate as proposed by the city offered at the hearing Thursday. The ordinance which was passed by council a few months ago and which caused Lima to be gasless for several days has not figured to any extent in the hearings before the commission.

The gas company Thursday offered testimony of Frank L. Pringle, manager of the company, and C. W. Sears, general manager of the East Ohio Gas company, Cleveland, relative to operating cost. Their testimony was technical and had to do with figures before the commission.

The commission will base its rate on valuation and operating expense. It has made a valuation of the company's property and the city has had a valuation prepared by experts. The city's valuation on the property is much higher than that made by engineers of the state board.

A parallel was seen by police in the fact that the Bello boy's body was found in a tub while Tessie's was in the suit case. In each instance the murderer had thrust the victim to by force.

As word of the killings spread, mothers kept their children indoors today and rumors of a child murder spread lurking in the town spread. It was feared that the slayer, if caught, might be lynched.

### CHRISTMAS GIFTS SET HIGH MARK

Package Mail Increased—Business Jump Also Shown

NEW YORK.—(By Associated Press)—If the amount of mail leaving New York this Christmas season is any indication of business conditions, Postmaster Morgan thinks prosperity has arrived.

He announced today that the Christmas package mail probably would exceed that of 1920 by forty per cent.

**SHOPPING RECORD.**  
Chicago—The Christmas shopping season in Chicago has broken all records in volume of business, according to leading State-street merchants but probably will not measure up, dollar for dollar with those of 1919 and 1920.

The city's total retail merchandise business for the entire year estimated at \$50,000,000 and the State-street stores obtained the bulk of the trade, their figures running between \$35,000,000 and \$40,000,000. Buyers this year are spending their money more wisely, merchants said, and the demand is mostly for substantial articles.

## MOVES TO REGAIN PLACE AS CHIEF

Charges Mayor Failed to Comply With Law's Provisions

INJUNCTION SUIT IS FILED

Deposed Police Head Draws Pay For Time Off

Alleged failure of Mayor F. A. Burkhardt to comply with provisions of the law, may cause the courts to remove Chief of Police O. J. Roush to duty prior to January 2.

In an application filed in common pleas court Friday, counsel for Roush demanded the court restrain Mayor Burkhardt from interfering with or preventing Roush from functioning as chief of police.

An order of removal dated December 15 is attacked as unlawful and the manner of removing Roush is declared to be contrary to the statutes. Mayor Burkhardt, the petition recites, failed to include in his intended order statutory reason and grounds to justify his action.

**SEEKS INJUNCTION.**  
The petition set forth that unless restrained by the court, Mayor Burkhardt intends carrying out the acts threatened, and that the plaintiff has no remedy at law.

Roush recites that he is the appointed and duly qualified head of the department and Frank A. Burkhardt is mayor of the city.

On December 15, Burkhardt directed a communication to Roush. That by virtue of this letter, the defendant Burkhardt has unlawfully undertaken to remove Roush from his office.

A reasonable time for making an answer and offering an explanation was denied the plaintiff, he avers. No time at all was allowed. The mayor's order read by Director of Safety D. W. Morris was made effective at once, it is charged.

**ORDER ATTACHED.**

The pretended order of removal did not contain one or more statutory reasons of grounds as is required by law, the petition recites.

It is also alleged that the pretended order fails to contain such specification of facts as would enable Roush to make a reasonable and satisfactory explanation.

Mayor Burkhardt, it is set forth, attempts to base his alleged order of removal on certain letters between Roush and himself prior to December 15, which he advises Roush that if explanations of the plaintiff "are not satisfactory to me."

Roush states in the petition that he is required by law to make an explanation to such charges as are made by Burkhardt, to his satisfaction, and such demand is branded as "unreasonable, arbitrary and unlawful."

New York Burkhart, it is December 13 caused the charges to be filed before the civil service commission. A copy was mailed to Ben J. Motter, secretary. This action necessitates making a defense against them, if an appeal to the commission is made, it is held.

**AS CHARGES ARE SO OBSCURE, INDEFINITE, VAGUE AND UNCERTAIN, the petition recites that Roush can offer no fair defense.**

Mayor Burkhardt since executing his pretended order, the application says, has interfered and prevented the plaintiff from functioning as chief of police and is ready and willing to act he says.

An order restraining the mayor from carrying out the edict is asked. Date of hearing on the petition has not been definitely decided.

Altho Mayor Burkhardt attempted to evade paying Roush for December 16, it is said the chief was successful in collecting pay up to and including the contested date, records of the city auditor's office show. The payroll for December allowed Roush pay up to December 15.

### SOLITARY BOUNDS, BREAD AND WATER FOR CHRISTMAS

COLUMBUS—George "Jiggs" Loshner, serving a life sentence in the Ohio penitentiary for his part in the murder of Policeman W. A. Gaffney, December 25, 1919, Saturday at midnight will be placed in solitary confinement for 24 hours, avowed Thomas said today.

In sentencing Loshner in Cleveland, the trial judge decreed he should spend each Christmas in solitary bounds instead of the Christmas spread laid for other convicts. Loshner will consist of bread and water.

**OTTAWA-TP OIL COMPANY INCORPORATED; TO TEST TERRITORY IN BATH-TP.**

The Ottawa-TP Oil company, Lima, has been incorporated at Columbus, with capital stock of \$10,000. Incorporators are Carl F. Miller of the Lima Cigar and Tobacco store, 206 E. Market-st; Carl H. Neill, attorney, R. P. Davis, Hugh Burke and C. L. Oman.

Object of the company is to drill for oil and gas. Leases have been taken on lands in the vicinity of Slabtown, Bath-tp and in the spring drilling will be started, it is announced.

AUSTIN, Texas—The four officers against whom murder charges were filed by Police Sergeant Ed R. Nitschke, for the shooting of "Pecker" Clayton, taxicab driver, in an alley adjoining what is known as "Ku Klux Klan Hall," declare they fired in self-defense. Nitschke today told Chief of Police Griffin. The four men, Bassett Miles, federal prohibition officer, L. E. Younz and J. L. McEl III, city police officers, and W. E. Mayberry, custodian of Camp Mabry, refused to comment on the charges.

According to the story Nitschke says was told him the lights on the car were not lit, and the shots were fired in the darkness. Nitschke did not explain why the shooting occurred.

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Carriers for The Lima News asked that their thanks and appreciation for the generous manner in which their Christmas greetings were received by patrons be extended to readers. The boys delivered their greetings, neat calendars, Friday. They were handsomely rewarded for their faithful service during the last year.

#### DAWSON EXPECTS SUCH ORDERS

Executives Absent From City; Report Not Confirmed

TERM EXPIRES SAME DATE

Public Dances and Parties Held to be Affected

New Year's eve may be a dull occasion in Lima.

A combination of city statutes and an anticipated order from Mayor F. A. Burkhardt to the police department, may combine to cut short practically all celebrations scheduled here for the big night.

Chief M. F. Dawson of the police department was looking for Mayor Burkhardt Friday, in an effort to get an executive ruling.

**MAYOR ABSENT FROM CITY.**

Burkhardt is in Columbus and as a result police must wait for orders from the executive after his return. City statutes, however, if observed, will force hotels and dance halls to close at 11 o'clock Saturday night in every case where the party is of public nature.

The fact that New Year's day falls on a Sunday this year, is also expected to have some effect on the situation.

In any event, a technically may save the entire situation for those who seek to celebrate the incoming year.

Burkhardt's administration comes to a close at midnight, December 31. His orders would be effective only until that time, it is held. In event he sees fit to order public dances discontinued at 11 o'clock, as the statutes provide, it is possible for them to be resumed again at midnight, if the incoming administration takes no stand on the situation.

**ARREST POSSIBLE.**

However, managers of public parties place themselves in position of possible prosecution under ordinances that will remain effective unchanged by the new administration.

Chief Dawson said Friday he was not in position to speak for the city administration on the ruling. He declared he would await word from the mayor. He said he expected the usual observance of Sunday to be ordered by city officials.

Private parties, in any event, would not be affected by the ordinance or statutes, he said.

#### MAYOR Hylan MAY BE JAILED

Faces Contempt of Court Charge in Budget Slash

NEW YORK—(By Associated Press)—Mayor Hylan and other members of the board of estimates of this city face a jail sentence for contempt of court unless they restore to the city budget, not later than December 25, some \$5,000,000 alleged to have been illegally deducted from the pension funds for police and other civil service employees.

The appellate division of the supreme court has upheld the writ of Mandamus issued by Supreme Court Justice Mullan directing the restitution of the neglected items.

City comptroller Craig had requested a reduction of \$10,000,000 in order to have the budget comply with the constitutional provision that it must not exceed 2 per cent of the assessed valuation of the city's real and personal property.

Instead, the board of estimates deducted only \$275,000 from the regular appropriations and failed to provide for pension funds of \$3,000,000 made mandatory by the state constitution.

City Comptroller Craig asserted legislative action would be necessary to straighten out the financial muddle.

**VETERANS' HEIRS TO USE SPECIAL BONUS BLANKS**

COLUMBUS—Compensation for heirs at law of service men who died during the war or since, must be applied for on special blanks being printed by the board of adjustment, it was learned here today.

The board estimated that about 4,000 veterans of the World War have died since the signing of the armistice. These, together with the slightly over 6,000 who were killed or died from sickness or wounds during the war, will compose the group whose compensation must be collected by their heirs at law.

Compensation for those who died during the war will be paid from the time of entrance into the service until the time of their death, and for those who died since being discharged for the service will be paid until the date of such discharge.

#### NEW GAS RATE FOR LIMA TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON

Case Closed Before State Commission—City May Pay \$1 for Fuel—Accountant for Council Proves Valuable to Gas Company

New rates for natural gas in Lima probably will be set by the Public Utilities Commission shortly after the first of the new year. This became apparent with the close of the gas hearing before the commission at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

All evidence in the controversy now is before the state body, both the city and the gas company resting their case Thursday afternoon. The only remaining steps before the commission fixes the rate is the privilege of the city to file a brief within a week and permission for the company to answer the city's brief immediately. These briefs may sum up testimony and figures, only.

While neither city officials nor officers of the gas company would hazard a prediction as to what the commission will do in the matter of rates, comparison of the figures submitted on valuation and operating cost with those of other cases would indicate that the rate will be close to \$1 a thousand.

The city, which was represented by Solicitor Garling assisted by George H. Quail and W. H. Leete, placed Howard L. Kay, public accountant, on the stand Thursday afternoon. Kay recently made a check of the Lima Natural Gas company's books for the city.

**DIVIDENDS ARE SMALL.**

Kay testified that he had made a complete audit of the company's accounts for the last 20 years and that he found the average yearly dividend paid during that period was only 3.16 per cent. He said the total earnings for the last six years applicable to investment were 4.75 per cent.

Kay dealt the city's contention that the company has watered stock a hard blow when he said he found that the capital stock is the same today as it was in 1904, although approximately half a million dollars had been put into the plant account since 1902.

He also testified that in his complete search of the company's records he had found no connection between the Lima Natural Gas company and the Medina Gas & Fuel company as has been charged by the city. He said there is no overlapping of officers or directors of the two companies shown.

The Lima company is a subsidiary of the United Gas Improvement company, of Philadelphia, while the Medina company is a subsidiary of Cities Service of New York, a Doherty organization.

**ORDINANCE NOT UP.**

These were no testimony or argument in favor of the 55-cent rate as proposed by the city offered at the hearing Thursday. The ordinance which was passed by council a few months ago and which caused Lima to be gasless for several days, has not figured to any extent in the hearings before the commission.

The gas company Thursday offered testimony of Frank L. Pringle, manager of the company, and C. W. Sears, general manager of the East Ohio Gas company, Cleveland, relative to operating cost. Their testimony was technical and had to do with figures before the commission.

The commission will base its rate on valuation and operating expense. It has made a valuation of the company's property and the city has had a valuation prepared by experts. The city's valuation on the property is much higher than that made by engineers of the state board.

#### CHRISTMAS GIFTS SET HIGH MARK

Package Mail Increased—Business Jump Also Shown

NEW YORK—(By Associated Press)—If the amount of mail leaving New York this Christmas season is any indication of business conditions, Postmaster Morgan thinks prosperity has arrived.

He announced today that the Christmas package mail probably would exceed that of 1920 by forty per cent.

**SHOPPING RECORD.**—The Christmas shopping season in Chicago has broken all records in volume of business, according to leading State-st merchants, but probably will not measure up, dollar for dollar with those of 1919 and 1920.

The city's total retail merchandise business for December was estimated at \$50,000,000 and the State-st stores obtained the bulk of the trade, their figures running between \$35,000,000 and \$40,000,000. Buyers this year are spending their money more wisely, merchants said, and the demand is mostly for substantial articles.

### MOVES TO REGAIN PLACE AS CHIEF

Charges Mayor Failed to Comply With Law's Provisions

INJUNCTION SUIT IS FILED

Deposed Police Head Draws Pay For Time Off

Alleged failure of Mayor F. A. Burkhardt to comply with provisions of the law may cause the courts to restore Chief of Police O. J. Roush to duty prior to January 1. In an application for injunction filed in court today, a complaint for Roush to demand the court restrain Mayor Burkhardt from interfering with or preventing Roush from functioning as chief of police.

An order of removal dated December 15 is attacked as unlawful and the manner of removing Roush is declared to be contrary to the statutes. Mayor Burkhardt, the petition recites, failed to include in his pretended order statutory reason and grounds to justify his action.

**STAYS IN LIMBO.**

The petition set forth that unless restrained by the court, Mayor Burkhardt intends carrying out the acts threatened, and that the plaintiff has no remedy at law.

Roush recites that he is the appointed and duly qualified head of the department and Frank A. Burkhardt is mayor of the city.

On December 15, Burkhardt directed a communication to Roush. That by virtue of this letter, the defendant, Burkhardt has unlawfully undertaken to remove Roush from his office.

A reasonable time for making an answer and offering an explanation was denied the plaintiff, he avers. No thing at all was allowed. The mayor's order read by Director of Safety D. W. Doris was made effective at once, it is charged.

**ORDERS ATTACKED.**

The pretended order of removal did not contain one or more statutory reasons of grounds as is required by law, the petition recites.

It is also alleged that the pretended order fails to contain such specification of facts as would enable Roush to make a reasonable and satisfactory explanation.

Mayor Burkhardt, it is set forth, attempts to base his alleged order of removal on certain letters between Roush and himself prior to December 15, which he advises Roush that "are not satisfactory to me."

Roush states in the petition that he is required by law to make an explanation to such charges as are made by Burkhardt, to his satisfaction, and such demand is branded as "unreasonable, arbitrary and unlawful."

Mayor Burkhardt on December 19 caused the charges to be filed before the civil service commission. A copy was mailed to Don I. Motter, secretary. This action necessitates making a defense against them, it is alleged to the commission is made, it is held.

**CHARGES SOLID.**

Because the charges are so obscure, indefinite, vague and uncertain, the petition recites that Roush can offer no fair defense.

Mayor Burkhardt, since executing his pretended order, the application says, has interfered and prevented the plaintiff from functioning as chief. Roush is ready and willing to act, he says.

An order restraining the mayor from carrying out the edict is asked. That of heading the petition has not been denied.

Altho Mayor Burkhardt attempted to evade paying Roush for December 16, it is said the chief was successful in collecting pay up to and including the contested date, records of the city auditor's office show.

The payroll for December allowed Roush pay up to December 15.

#### SOLITARY BOUNDS. BREAD AND WATER FOR CHRISTMAS

COLUMBUS—George "Jigger" Lottner, serving a life sentence in the Ohio penitentiary for his part in the murder of Policeman W. A. Gaffney, December 25, 1919, Saturday at midnight will be placed in solitary confinement for 24 hours, warden Thomas said today.

In sentences to time in Cleveland, the trial judge decided he should spend each Christmas in solitary bounds. Instead of the Christmas spread laid for other convicts, Lottner's will consist of bread and water.

#### OTTAWA-TP OIL COMPANY INCORPORATED; TO TEST TERRITORY IN BATH-TP

The Ottawa-TP Oil company, Lima, has been incorporated at Columbus, with capital stock of \$10,000. Incorporators are Carl E. Miller of the Lima Clear and Tobacco store, 206 E. Market-st; Carl H. Scoville, attorney, R. P. Davis, Ralph Burke and C. L. Oman.

Object of the company is to drill for oil and gas. Leases have been taken on lands in the vicinity of Slabtown, Bath-tp and in the spring drilling will be started, it is announced.



## TWO TITLES HELD BY THIS WOMAN

World's Champion Athlete and Champion Housewife

EASY, TOO. SHE DECLARES

Tells Story of How These Things Are Done

(BY BOB DORMAN.)  
BROOKLYN.—(Special).—For 16 years Ida Schnall has been the world champion all-around woman athlete.

For nine years Mrs. Adolph Schnitzer has been a champion housewife and mother.

The two are one. Mrs. Schnitzer says that is easy or that I have done anything that the ordinary woman can't do.

"It's simple that I try to do my best in everything that I undertake, and I keep at it until my best is as good as that of anyone else.

"The trouble is that too many of the women athletes are not mothers, while not enough of the mothers are athletes.

"And it's easy to be both if you desire.

"I get up early. Living in bed only shows you are lazy.

"As soon as I get up, I jump into the bathtub filled with lukewarm water. After a good scrub, I get under the shower, gradually changing the water from warm to cold. A cold hard rub with a Turkish towel and I feel fit for anything.

DRINKS HOT WATER.

"I then drink two glasses of hot water. It's great for keeping your complexion clear.

"Then I dress my boy Solomon, who is 8, and send him to school.

"Getting breakfast for my husband is the next job. If I am hungry, I eat with him. I eat what I please, but I eat only when I am hungry.

"Then I get at my housework. Too many women let their household tasks pile up until it seems to them as if they would never get through and then they fret and worry until their nerves are a wreck.

"In the afternoon I take my other boy, Lester, who is only two, to the gym with me. He generally sleeps the hour that I spend in working out to keep myself in condition.

"After exercising, I take a shower and a rub, and come home to get supper, feeling full of life and pep.

"There's nothing difficult about such a program.

"If the housewives would only get up early, do their work immediately and not let it pile up, cast off the corsets and take a little exercise regularly each day, they would soon feel that life is worth living, and the super race that the scientists are so fond of talking about would soon become a reality."

STARTED EARLY.  
Miss Schnall's first interest in athletics began when she was a child in Tarnow, Austria, where she was born.

The family came to America, and in 11, the only girl in a family of seven boys, played in the same games as her brothers.

She learned baseball and organized the first women's team in New York city.

She has prizes won for swimming, diving, jumping, pole vaulting, discus throwing, hurdling, shot putting, bicycle riding, running, baseball, tennis, bowling, dancing, golf, cricket, baseball, ice skating, horsemanship, tumbling and gymnastics.

Also she has prizes for embroidery and darning, while the biggest cup of all was given her on the Pacific coast for being the best formed woman in America.

## INJUNCTION AGAINST TAX COLLECTION ASKED

COLUMBUS.—Charging that several railroads were subsidized and that a campaign contribution of \$27,000 was made to assist in the election of former Governor James M. Cox, David Ambrose, a Dayton taxpayer, today filed a petition in error in the Ohio supreme court seeking several of the judgment of Montgomery-co courts in holding the expenditures of the Miami Conservancy district directors valid, and approving the special legislation authorizing the conservancy district and its activities.

The petition seeks to enjoin the collection of taxes amounting to \$1,200 levied against Ambrose, \$2,000 against Montgomery-co and \$50,000 against the City of Dayton for the conservancy work, claiming violation of the state constitution and the Dayton city charter.

Ambrose, who says he is a Republican, avers that the prosecuting attorney of Montgomery-co and the city attorney of Dayton both refused to bring the suit.

## PHONE SYSTEM AIDS DEAF IN TRINITY M. E.

Improvements have been made in telephone system installed in Trinity M. E. church two years ago, in aid of parishioners who hearing is impaired. A large transmitter near the pulpit, connected with wires, carries the voice of the pastor to members in the pews, with the aid of a small receiver. Ten stations are installed in the church, for the use of as many persons.

## CANAL HEARING WILL BE HELD JANUARY 24

CINCINNATI.—The final hearing on the proposed large canal from Cincinnati to Toledo and Chicago will be held here January 24. Delegates from cities and towns along the Miami and Erie route and from Indiana will be present. Albert Krell, president of the Central Indiana Waterways Association, received a letter today from Colonel G. M. Hoffman, United States engineer, saying that the board of engineers for rivers and harbors will be in Cincinnati on that day.

## VIOLETS, ROSES, CHRYSANTHEMUMS, GOOD SELECTION POTTED PLANTS, WREATHS, BASKETS AND POTTERY. THE FLOWER SHOP—North Main St., Phone, Main 2422.

## CHAMPION ATHLETE—HOUSEWIFE



## ROSA LOVES TO DO HOUSEWORK



By RUTH AGNES ADELING  
NEW YORK.—"Well—I'm domestic." It was the luscious voice of Rosa Ponselle of the Metropolitan Opera Company.

"Oh, beautifully!" she continued. "And I believe in homes and children. When I find the right man I'm going to marry him, that's quick!" One had to believe for the eyes which looked from behind Rosa's veil meant it.

And Rosa's veil. There's an intriguing thing, draped in fascinating folds over a large black hat, glowing black eyes and glossy black hair.

Caught in the fur which hugged her throat were two fragile, pinkish rosebuds with wavy foliage, and that was all of color about Rosa except her exquisite mouth, vivid—but natural.

"And I like to cook—I love to fix spaghetti!"

"With onions and tomatoes and carrots and garlic—" It was Rosa, the lovely, the artist in whose voice is caught the golden sunlight of a transparent waters over deep forget-me-nots.

For Rosa is Neapolitan, the American born.

MINSTRELS RETURN  
LONDON.—Negro minstrels of 20 years ago are planning to bring back to London their form of entertainment. Many performers are old veterans.

REFUGEES NOT WANTED  
CAIRO.—Christian refugees from Asia Minor, fleeing from Kemalists, are about ships at Alexandria. They have been refused entrance. Neither the French in Syria nor the Palestine government want them.

POLLY SCORES THIEVES  
MILWAUKEE.—Two men started to break into a home on lavender avenue when they heard a loud shriek. They fled, ignorant of the fact that the noise came from the family pig.

\$50,000 JEWELS GONE  
PARIS.—Princess Stephanie of Hohenzollern reported the loss of \$50,000 worth of jewels and \$1000 in cash. She was on a shopping tour and had just taken the jewels and money from the bank vault.

WOMEN'S CUSTOMS "MEN"  
BRUSSELS.—Belgium will have a corps of women customs searchers. They will make surprise visits to frontier stations and subject women passengers on trains from Germany to "down-to-the-skin" search.

HOUSES STAY EMPTY  
BEAUFORT, ENGL.—Several hundred houses have been completed here, but they cannot be occupied until difficulties in regard to the drainage are straightened out. Many prospective tenants are waiting to rent the homes.

HEAR ABOUT THIS WAR?  
MECCA.—Fighting has been going on in this region between two rival sultans, Ibn Saud and Ibn Rashid. Saud has captured Hail, capital of Rashid's territory, say latest reports.

PIGEON RACE PLANNED  
SHAW, ENGLAND.—Sir William Hopwood has accepted the challenge of Major R. Barker of Sowerby for a race between the homing pigeons of the Shaw area and those of Todmorden. The stake is \$5000.

MRS. SCHNITZER, WORLD'S CHAMPION ATHLETE, IN VARIOUS POSES. YES, SHE EMBROIDERS, TOO!

## REPORTED HELD FOR \$500,000 RANSOM



Reports from Shanghai state Mme. Sun Yat Sen, wife of the president of the South China Republic, has been kidnapped by brigands and is being held in the mountains of Kwangsi province for \$500,000 ransom. Mme. Sun Yat Sen is a graduate of Berkeley University, California, and of Wellesley College. She is shown here with her husband.

## WHAT'S MASCULINE OF SUFFRAGET?

GREY, Neb.—(Special).—Men have won out in their first skirmish for equal rights in Nebraska.

An amendment to the constitution of the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs permits clubs having men members to affiliate with the federation.

Now the men are planning a further step. They want the federation to give 'em power to attend sessions of the women's federation as delegates.

"I feel sorry for a women's clubs that hasn't men members," says Mrs. E. E. Fetz, who helped the men in their equal rights fight. "Men are such a stimulus!"

## STEAMER ASKS AID

Ship Reported Helpless 150 Miles off Virginia Coast

NORFOLK, Va.—(By United Press).—The shipping board steamer Eastern Sun is drifting helplessly 150 miles northwest of the Virginia Capes with her engines out of commission and crew in need of medical attention.

The coast guard cutter Manning with a doctor aboard, has been sent from Hampton Roads to her assistance. The vessel was wrecked for aid to the Hampton Roads naval base.

CANT SING EVIDENCE  
LONDON.—Attorney for London Theater of Varieties offered a suit as evidence in a suit brought by the Performing Right Society for infringement of copyright. He was warned against singing the song, for that would be an infringement.

KARL WON'T STARVE  
PARIS.—Ambassadors of Great Britain and the new countries formed out of Austria-Hungary are making arrangements to furnish the exiled King Karl with an annual salary of between \$60,000 and \$100,000. The debts he incurred in Switzerland will be paid.

## SURGERY REMOVES MARKS OF GRIEF



CLOSEUP OF MRS. A. N. WILLIAMSON, WITH ARROWS POINTING TO PLACES WHERE SURGEON MADE INCISIONS TO REMOVE SCARS OF SORROW.

BY BOB DORMAN  
NEW YORK.—Surgery has restored to Mrs. A. N. Williamson, British writer, the beauty grief stole from her.

While Mrs. Williamson and her husband were working at the war front Williamson contracted blood poison and died after three years' illness.

"Those years were torture to me," Mrs. Williamson says. "My husband would plan the things we would do when he had recovered. I know he never could recover. When out of his

sight, I cried and cried—just let myself go. From weeping my eyes became lustreless, swollen and puffy. My friends said I had aged a hundred years!"

Then Mrs. Williamson came to New York on business. Here a surgeon cut out slits of skin from her eyelids and from the pouches beneath her eyes, removing the scars of sorrow.

So satisfactory was this operation that Mrs. Williamson then had her "too square" jaw remodeled into a more oval one.

December 31, it is believed. Council may be asked to fix the amount of remuneration at that time.

On the ground that it is a waste of public money, it was stated Friday.

JURORS DRAWN FOR JANUARY COURT TERM  
Grand and petit jurors for the January term of court were drawn by Judge Becker, Sheriff Charles W. Baxter and J. T. Cotner, clerk, last Friday afternoon.

The new term of court opens January 10.

GEORGE WHITE INJURED  
MARIETTA.—Congressman George White, former chairman of the Democratic national committee, was painfully burned in an explosion of gas at an oil well in Nobleco yesterday. His injuries are not serious. It was said today by his physician.

TO CURB GLUTTONY  
MUNICH.—A law has been proposed by the Bavarian cabinet which would impose 200,000 marks fine and five years imprisonment on persons found guilty of "schlemmeri, gluttony or high living."

THEORE ROBERTS has just received this letter:  
"Dear Sir:  
"In the interests of fire prevention and the campaign against the use of tobacco, will you please quit smoking cigars in your pictures. Their use encourages men to smoke. Every cigar butt is a potential conflagration. The mere smoking of cigars would not be so bad, but you chew yours. Thus you teach men the double curse of nicotine. Your abstinence from cigars in the films would have a most salutary effect on incipient smokers. Trusting that you may see this matter as I do, I am,  
Very truly yours,  
SAM POTASH,  
Fire Chief of Speedunk and President of Anti-Smokers League 399."

Ben Turpin has been asked to discontinue the use of crossed eyes in his comedies. The Stringtown Optical Society protests that his use of crossed-focus orbs suggests the inefficiency of eye surgeons. This causes deep despair among all cross-eyed persons. Also among eye surgeons.

Charlie Chaplin has received a letter from a sandal maker in the hope of Sahara. The sandal maker is aroused because all the deserters, following Charlie's example, are wearing old shoes. This hurts his business.

The master barbers of Sevilla have petitioned Snub Pollard and Chester Conklin to have their mustaches

pected to protest on the ground that he advocates glassesless glasses.

FILM COURSE AT COLUMBIA  
The course in motion picture production at Columbia University has proven so popular that it will be continued another term. The original plan was to hold the course for one term of three months. The Fox studio is used for practical instruction.

CHOOSING A CAST  
As this writer has commented before, many films are tiresome because the casts are picked from the same group of players picture after picture. Thus the motion picture patron loses the illusion of the play because he identifies the participants in their own individualities rather than in the characters they are playing.

It is interesting in this connection to note that Reginald Barker has been given a free hand to pick his players for the production of "The Storm" whenever he may find them, regardless of whether they are under contract to Universal, which is producing the picture.

This writer believes that if all players were free lances, at liberty to work for any producer, better results would be the rule. This could be done without increasing star salaries and the cost of production if producers would not assume a "dog-eat-dog" attitude toward each other.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS FEED IS PLANNED FOR MEN IN DURANCE VILE  
When Christmas day rolls around with all its cheer and good eats, even the boys behind the bars will get in on the festivities. For the day is one of good will for all men. Sheriff Baxter will serve the twenty of

more men at county jail with a special dinner. It is the big annual Christmas feed provided for those who happen to be there on Christmas. At city jail, however, things will be different. One can never tell how many, if any, will be behind the bars then.

Violets, Roses, Chrysanthemums, Good selection Potted Plants, Wreaths, Baskets and Pottery. The Flower Shop—North Main St., Phone, Main 2422.

Harold Lloyd doesn't wear any glasses in those specs of his. The plate glass manufacturers are ex-

trimmed. The barbering business has slackened since they introduced their coffee strainers to the screen.

Mary Pickford showed me this letter the other day. It almost made me weep when I read it.

"Dearest Mary,  
"It began, 'I am a poor woman. I work hard for my money, but I have a young daughter who doesn't realize it. She is a great admirer of you, and thinks that if her hair is curly she would look just like you. It takes all the money I can earn to pay her hairdressing bills. If you will, could I appear in pictures without those curls I am sure you would greatly help countless other poor widows like me. Yours for straight hair."

"A DISTRACTED MOTHER."

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## WARSHIPS RUSHED TO EGYPT

British Vessels Ordered to Scene of Threatened Revolt

MALTA.—(By Associated Press).—Two British warships have received orders to proceed to Egypt immediately. Other units of the British Mediterranean fleet are under orders to leave at the shortest notice.

CARLO, Egypt.—(By Associated Press).—Said Zagloul Pasha, one of the Egyptian Nationalist leaders who refused yesterday to obey an order issued by the military authorities that he and his chief followers cease all political activities and leave Cairo, was escorted to the railway station here today by British troops.

His removal was accompanied by some disturbances in the course of which there was a smashing of glass. Later the plans were changed and Zagloul was transferred to a motor car and taken to Suez. The action of the authorities followed a fight Thursday night at Zagloul's home in which two of his supporters were killed and six others wounded. The military now has assumed control of the situation.

Armored cars are patrolling the town and the authorities have announced their determination to suppress any trouble.

## DENIES GUN THEFT

Columbus Grove Boys Arrested; One Arraigned

Charles Neill, 20, Columbus Grove, pleaded not guilty to a charge of larceny, in the court of Ernest M. Botkin, justice of the peace, Friday. Neill's trial is set for Wednesday. He was held in the sum of \$200. Unable to provide bail, he is now in the county jail.

Russell Lantz, 17, Columbus Grove, was arrested at the same time as was Neill. He is awaiting action of juvenile authorities.

The boys are charged with the theft of a gun from a farmer near Beaverdam, where a shooting match was held Thursday. The farmer had secured loan of guns from Sam Croushore, south side dealer, Lima.

One of them disappeared, Clarence J. Frankfurter, deputy sheriff, who made the arrest, declared it was traced to the home of Neill's parents in Columbus Grove, where it was found hidden under a cistern porch.

KERRS ARE DEFENDANTS IN \$3,000 COURT SUIT  
Damages in theorem of \$3,000 is asked of George S. Kerr and his wife by Lavina C. Jennings, widow of Gregory Jennings and heirs of the late Jennings, because of alleged claims made by the Kerrs regarding title to parts of lots 911 and 912 in Baxter and Haller's addition to Lima.

Plaintiff asserts she has been asked to sell and convey the premises. The petition says paper held by Mr. and Mrs. Kerr has proved a cloud on the title. Mrs. Jennings asks that a mortgage, held by the South Side Building and Loan company, placed there by the Kerrs, be cancelled and title quieted.

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## CHILE DIVIDED - ON NATION LEAGUE

Opposition to Retaining Membership Springs Up

RESULT OF SEAPORT DEMAND

Dispute Arises Over Claims Made by Bolivia

SANTIAGO — (By Associated Press)—Opposition to Chile retaining membership in the League of Nations has developed in some quarters here as a result of the league's consideration of Bolivia's petition for a revision of the treaty of peace and commerce celebrated with Chile in 1904, and the assembly's action in appointing a commission of jurists to study the Bolivian claim, the essential feature of which was a demand for a seaport. The former Bolivian port of Antofagasta was definitely ceded to Chile under the 1904 treaty and Bolivia now has rail access to the Pacific thru Antofagasta and Arica, Chile.

**SENTIMENT AROUSED**  
While Chile, according to some leaders of opinion, achieved a "moral victory" at Geneva in view of the jurists' findings that the Bolivian petition in the form in which it was presented was inadmissible and that the "assembly cannot itself modify any treaty," the Bolivian delegation's announcement that it would reserve the right again to present its petition appears to have aroused more sentiment against the league in this country.

J. Boonin Rivera, a writer on international affairs, in an article in the newspaper, *Diario Ilustrado*, views acceptance by Chile of the postponement of the Bolivian petition as an "abdication at least of

the sentiment of our complete sovereignty." He asks what reason there is for Chile to remain in a league that "good national sense repudiates thru a certain feeling of anxiety and uneasiness."

He alludes to the advice given by A. J. Balfour at Geneva in favor of direct negotiations "between Chile and Bolivia to 'settle the extremely thorny problem' as a judgment which it "never would have entered blindfolded." The writer also says Argentina withdrew "because she would only take part in a league of nations in the full sense that word implied."

**LEAGUE ATTACKED**  
Senator Gonzales Buñes, chairman of the foreign relations commission of the senate, has been the chief opponent of the league in the Chilean congress. He warmly supported Argentina's action in withdrawing from the league last December and at that time urged Chile to quit also as an act of solidarity with her eastern neighbor. Speaking in the senate recently Senator Buñes asserted that the league was "nothing less than imposition of the victor on the vanquished." He called it a "concert of victorious nations to make the vanquished comply with the rigorous conditions of defeat." The speaker said Chile always had sustained a policy of non-intervention by foreign nations in its issues that were the outgrowth of the war of 1879.

Batros Jara, minister for foreign affairs, in a recent statement on international relations said Chile entered the league because it did not want to be absent "from an undertaking in which were placed such high hopes for universal peace."

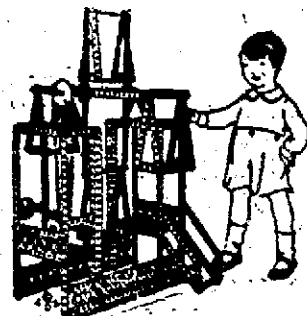
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**\$3.50 Electric Curling Iron** ..... **\$3.29**  
**\$8.50 American Beauty Irons** ..... **\$7.39**  
**\$6.75 White Cross Electric Irons** ..... **\$5.89**  
**\$6.50 White Cross Electric Stoves** ..... **\$5.69**  
**75c Rook, Pit, Flinch, Bee Cards** ..... **69c**  
**\$1.25 Assorted Toilet Water** ..... **98c**

**50c Sempre Jovenay** ..... **39c**  
**50c Dermis Viva** ..... **39c**  
**35c Williams' Shaving Cream or Stick** ..... **29c**  
**25c Johnson's Baby Talc.** ..... **19c**  
**50c Peppermint Tooth Paste** ..... **39c**  
**\$2.50 No-Seam Combination** ..... **\$1.98**  
**40c Fletcher's Castoria** ..... **31c**  
**\$1.25 Pinkham's Compound** ..... **\$1.00**  
**\$1.10 Vitamin** ..... **87c**  
**Nature's Remedy** ..... **19c-39c-79c**  
**\$1.50 Carey's Marshroot** ..... **\$1.15**  
**25c Hinkle's Pills** ..... **17c**  
**\$1.25 Evans' Triple Phosphates** ..... **96c**

**50c White Pine Cough Syrup** ..... **39c**  
**60c Turpo** ..... **48c**  
**\$1.00 Bottle of 5 gr. Genuine Aspirin Tablets** ..... **69c**  
**\$1.25 Carey's Medic Yeast Tablets** ..... **96c**  
**75c Rheuma** ..... **69c**  
**25c Laxa-Pirin** ..... **19c**  
**\$1.25 Dr. Leonhardt's Hem-Roid** ..... **95c**  
**50c Drake's Cough Remedy** ..... **39c**  
**\$3.75 Horlick's Malted Milk** ..... **\$2.89**

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SATURDAY—Women's imported lisle hosiery, lace foot styles with double heel and toe, in black, brown and white at ..... **\$1.59**

WOMEN'S TRIMMED Silk Camisoles

SATURDAY—Women's silk camisoles, lace trimmed top, made of washable satin in flesh only **89c** and priced at ..... —2nd floor.

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**19c** fancy light outtings, heavy grade ..... **14c**  
**27c** best grade percale, lights and ..... **21c**  
**24c** plain pink and blue heavy outing ..... **19c**  
**20c** cheviot shirtings in stripes and checks ..... **15c**  
**45c** heavy storm-door canvas, 36 inch ..... **37c**  
**\$1.00** heavy twilled red wool flannel ..... **79c**

## ALWAYS IN THE LEAD The Leader Store

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MEN'S NEAT Knit Ties

SATURDAY—Men's pretty knit ties in all the newest stripe effects and plain styles, priced at ..... **95c**

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SATURDAY—Men's all fibre silk shirts in attractive patterns, cut full and in all sizes, **\$3.95** and priced at ..... —Main floor.

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SATURDAY—Men's all wool caps, several styles, well made, a useful and practical gift and **\$1.69** specially priced at ..... —Main floor.

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SATURDAY—Men's warm angora mufflers—finely made with fringe in several colors and **\$1.50** and priced at ..... —Main floor.

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SATURDAY—silver and ivory finish boudoir lamps with fancy glass shade—a gift anyone will appreciate, priced at ..... **\$8.95**

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\$2.50 GINGHAM (2 TO 14) Children's Dresses AGES 2 TO 14 **\$1.98**

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## ASSEMBLY WILL NOT BE CALLED

Tax Program as Framed Turned Down by Committee

COLUMBUS — (By Associated Press) — All possibility of there being a special session of the legislature to attempt to formulate a taxation program was practically annihilated yesterday when the special joint legislative committee spurned a classification proposal formulated in Cleveland recently by a sub-committee, and in its stead adopted a resolution pronouncing economy in public expenditures as the only means of curing present taxation evils. Members of the committee went home without making provision to inform Governor Davis of the results of its deliberations. Governor Davis had informed the committee before it commenced deliberations some two weeks ago that he would call the legislature in special session if the committee could agree upon a taxation proposal that both houses could unite in adopting and which he believed would offer relief. The classification proposal was lost by a vote of nine for to five against, the committee having previously agreed that no proposal would be recommended unless approved by five members of each house. Such approval was not obtained. Seven senators and two representatives voted for the proposal.

## COSTS MORE TO FEED A MAN THAN A WOMAN

Patrons of Lima cafeterias eat largely the same kind of food every day, according to proprietors. Many times, day after day, their bill will amount to the same amount, those in charge of the cash registers say. Women go in for the lighter foods, selecting salads as the main article of the luncheon frequently and ordering other things in comparison.

Men do not care so much for salads. They go in for meats and the substantial things, proprietors say. Cost of a meal for one man usually amounts to the total for two women, according to cafeteria owners.

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## REALTY ACTIVITY IN WEST END PRESAGED BY DEALERS IN 1922

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Realtors say Christmas activities have pushed their business aside for the moment. According to general opinion among dealers, there will be few transfers until after January 1. "People are waiting to see how the new year will start off," said a dealer.

Several large deals, involving the transfer of vacant and improved residential property have been rumored for a week past, but none have materialized.

## NIGHT SCHOOL PUPILS ON HOLIDAY VACATION

Night schools conducted in Lima, with other schools of the city, closed Thursday on schedule for Christmas vacation. A two weeks rest period will be had by the older folks as well as the younger ones.

Work accomplished to date is marked by rapid rise of adult students in the classes in Americanization, according to J. E. Collins, superintendent of schools.

A class of twenty started the year with the school. Six of these have successfully passed the first test in court for citizenship papers.

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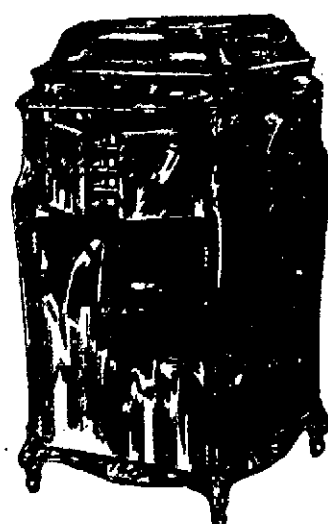
19TH MURDER RECORDED  
COLUMBUS — Columbus' nineteenth murder this year was recorded Thursday night by the death of Milton Bloodsaw, colored, due to gunshot wounds in the abdomen inflicted by Guy Harris, also colored,

whom police have been seeking since last Friday when the affair took place. Police say the shooting was over a woman.  
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LONDON — The wedding of Charles Phillips had progressed to the point where the registrar asked the bridegroom's full name. Then it was learned Phillips had delegated his brother to take his place while

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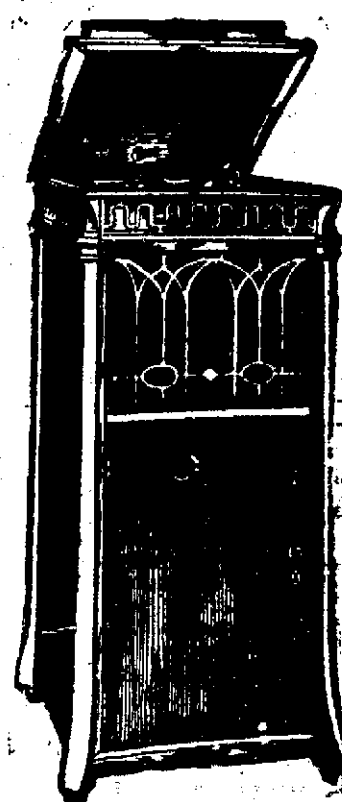
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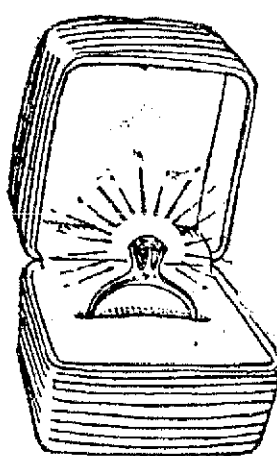
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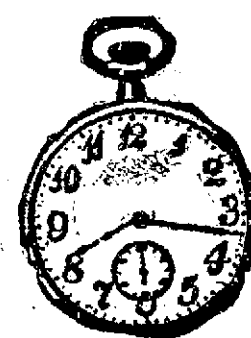
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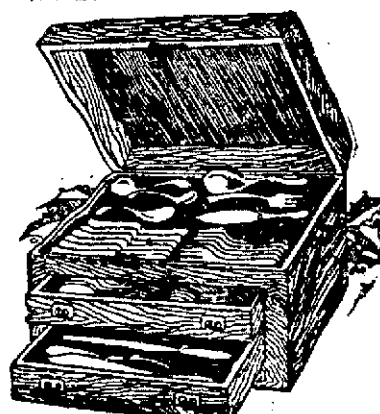
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save the American doctrine of the  
“open door” becoming a dead-let-  
ter, says one of the most influential  
members of the Chinese delegation.  
Since the announcement by a  
spokesman for the American coun-  
cil at the arms conference that  
Japan proper as well as her island  
possessions is protected by the Pa-  
cific treaty, China’s representa-  
tives here feel that everything now  
depends upon the terms of the pro-  
posed multi-powered treaty cover-  
ing the Eastern questions.  
“Under the Anglo-Japanese alli-  
ance,” an internationally known ad-  
viser to the Chinese government  
told me, “Japan was able to absorb  
Korea and to extend her influence  
in Manchuria, Shantung and Si-  
beria.  
“Under the new four-power  
treaty it would seem that the  
United States, which has been resis-  
tive under Japanese aggressions on  
continental territory, will in future  
be excluded from protesting in the  
same way as England was excluded  
under the Anglo-Japanese alliance.  
“Under this four-nation agree-  
ment, as officially interpreted, it  
would be possible for Japan to send  
her forces to China and Siberia  
without conflicting with its provi-  
sions which apply to insular pos-  
sessions and insular dominions.”  
Japan’s ascendancy is now such,  
according to Oriental standards, that  
unless the situation is saved by the  
conclusion of a nine-power treaty  
which will really insure China’s in-  
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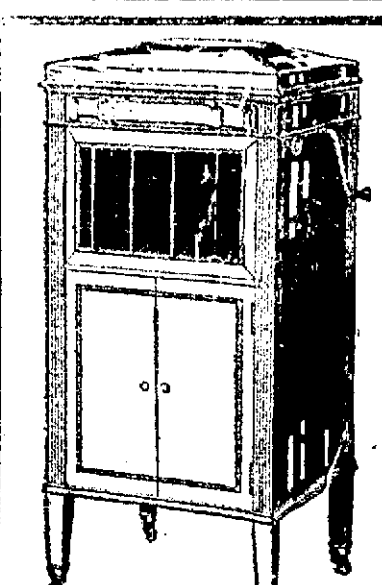
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Mothers and Widows of Martyrs in Irish Parliament

(BY DORIS STEVENS)

DUBLIN — (Special) — Six women who sit in the Dail Eireann will help to guide the destinies of the new Free State of Ireland. These women have been in the forefront of Irish patriots who have fought so hard for independence.

They are the Countess Markievicz, Kitty Murphy O'Callaghan, Kathleen Daly Clarke, Ada English, Mrs. Margaret Pearse and Mary MacSwiney.

I met Countess Markievicz, the first woman elected to parliament, in Dublin at the home of "A. E." (George Russell), poet, painter, philosopher and leader of the co-operative movement in Ireland. England had just offered her first peace terms.

The people adore her. No one could be insensitive to the romantic background of a countess who has voluntarily abandoned a life of luxury and faced the death sentence for her ideas.

"Just think," said a stranger next to me at a session of the Dail, "the countess could have all the comfort of riches in the family castle at Sligo. And she chooses to fight for us."

For generations her family has held this castle. Her brother still lives there. Constance Gore-Booth—that was her family name—had traveled about the world being introduced at foreign courts and dazzling all with her beauty, gaiety and brilliance. But she abandoned it all for Irish independence.

It was Dublin's poor who elected her to the Dail.

As minister of labor, she has the distinction of being the only department of the government which has never been raided. She kept her department always on the move.

It was the countess who started the Sinn Féin courts of arbitration to settle industrial disputes in ethics rather than cold law. Undoubtedly have been known to come to these outlaw courts for redress.

The countess' mother was English her father Irish.

"I did not go to school when I was young," she says. "I had English tutors at home. Later I studied art in Paris." She has had a painting in Paris Salon. "It was there I met my Polish husband, Count Markievicz."

"After our marriage we came to Ireland to work together in the Dublin theatres. My husband managed the production of Shaw's 'Devil's Disciple,' for instance, in which I played Judith, the lead."

"Soon after our marriage came my first arrest for rebel activity. Then my husband was called back to Poland to fight for Polish freedom. Since that we have had very little time together."

My last imprisonment was for eleven months. I came out with the general amnesty of Dail members at the time of the truce.

"What I regret most is that I lost several teeth while in prison this

## MEMBERS OF IRISH PARLIAMENT



time," she said humbly. "You know they just fall out in prison, and there is nothing to be done about it."

Kitty Murphy O'Callaghan, widow of the murdered lord mayor of Limerick, is an exquisite person whose silent heroism wrings your heart. She is young and slight and delicately beautiful, with huge blue eyes that show intense suffering.

I wonder if anyone can realize the extent of a tragedy which takes a beloved husband and shoots him dead in the vestibule of his own home, while his wife struggles helplessly to protect him from the madness of two masked assassins. That is what happened to Mrs. O'Callaghan. And yet this frail little woman says:

"I shall always be thankful that I saw Michael die. I know now at least how and by whom it was done."

Before the final tragedy she and her husband had been raided weekly. Always the raiders retired without finding anything.

"But we knew it was only a question of time, when in their desperation, the Crown forces would take Michael without ceremony, since they could find no cause for which to arrest him."

"The night of the tragedy I was first to answer the knocking at the door. My husband had just reached the last step on the staircase when the door flew open and two masked men rushed in crying, 'We want O'Callaghan tonight!'"

"My heart froze. But I pleaded as I stood between the men and my husband. In a twinkling they threw me aside, shot him dead, and fled into the night."

"I had just persuaded my husband to come with me for a little holiday on the continent. Our bags were packed. We were ready to start on the morrow. But the morrow for him never came."

Mrs. O'Callaghan is a woman of culture and singular ability.

Kathleen Daly Clarke, widow of Thomas Clarke, the first signatory of the republican proclamation at Easter, 1916, who was executed by the British for this offense, is one member of the Dail who has suffered two-fold; the tragic loss of loved ones and imprisonment for her own republican activities.

She was born into the Irish movement. Her father, then a lad of 17, was imprisoned in 1865, for republican tendencies. When he came out, he participated in the Fenian

Left to Right, Kitty Murphy O'Callaghan, Kathleen Daly Clarke, Countess Markievicz, Mary MacSwiney, Margaret Pearse.

rising of 1867 and was again imprisoned.

Her husband came to America first when 19, stayed until 21 and returned on a revolutionary mission in London. He was arrested and sentenced to life imprisonment. After serving 16 years at hard labor in Portland prison he was released, then 37.

Mrs. Clarke met him and they became engaged. He returned to New York immediately, where she joined him in 1901 for their marriage. They lived in New York until 1907, both taking part in the activities of the Gaelic League of New York.

"Then came the first war scare of an impending conflict between England and Germany," says Mrs. Clarke, "and my husband thought we ought to return at once to help Ireland get ready to take advantage of England's difficulty."

"I worked quietly with him until the Easter rising. My husband was the first signatory to the proclamation. Immediately after the surrender of the Irish volunteers my house was raided and I was taken to Dublin castle where I was imprisoned. When I learned that my husband was to be shot, I asked to be allowed to see him."

"At 1 o'clock the morning of his execution I was taken to his cell as a prisoner, where I was permitted one hour with him in the presence of guards. That was the end. At 4 o'clock he was shot. The next night my only brother, Edward Daly, the youngest of all the 16 men executed (25 years), was shot. I was not allowed to see him."

In 1918 Mrs. Clarke was again imprisoned for alleged conspiracy in the so-called German plot. There she served nine months. After her release the British began raids on her home.

In this atmosphere Mrs. Clarke has reared three sons, one of whom is an American citizen.

Mrs. Clarke is the first woman president of the Court of Conscience under the Dublin Corporation. This is a court which settles all small debtors' cases, and Mrs. Clarke's decisions are final.

Dr. Ada English, of Ballinasloe, County Galway, is the young unmarried, direct type of professional woman with which we are familiar in the United States.

She is the senior medical officer of the Ballinasloe Asylum for Mental Patients. She is president of the Ballinasloe Branch of the Irish Women's Council, the organization which assists the volunteers in non-combatant capacities.

"And so they raided my home in January of this year and arrested me, charged me with having on my premises 'incriminating documents,'" she laughed.

"What documents were they?" I asked.

"A copy of the constitution and by-laws of the council. I was held six weeks in the Galway prison before any charge was given. Then I was tried by court martial and sentenced to nine months. While in prison I was elected to the Dail."

Dr. English is a graduate of the National University and the University of Medicine, at Dublin.

Mrs. Margaret Pearse is the mother of Patrick Pearse, also one of the signatories to the republican proclamation at the Easter Rising of 1916.

When her son was executed he was head of St. Enda's School for Boys.

Since the execution of her son, Mrs. Pearse has directed the school. And the Sunday I visited her she had thrown open the buildings and grounds to the public for a great Irish fair, the proceeds of which were to go to the families in dis-

ress as a result of the warfare in Ireland.

The republican flag was floating gaily from the top of the great central building. . . . and the band was playing martial Sinn Féin music.

Mrs. Pearse and her daughter have managed, with American financial help, to keep the school going successfully ever since 1911 when the Crown withdrew all public grants.

Miss Mary MacSwiney, Dail member from Cork, and sister of Terence, martyr mayor of Cork, chatted with me in Dublin.

"How I love America," were the first words she said. "The people were wonderful. They were so willing to hear our side, so amenable even when they differed."

Miss MacSwiney is the directress of a girl's day school at Cork. She has taught since she was 19.

In 1916 she was turned out of her post by the British for having been arrested and held for one day. But that was enough to bar her from the British-ruled schools. Thereafter she started her own school, which has grown steadily in influence and numbers.

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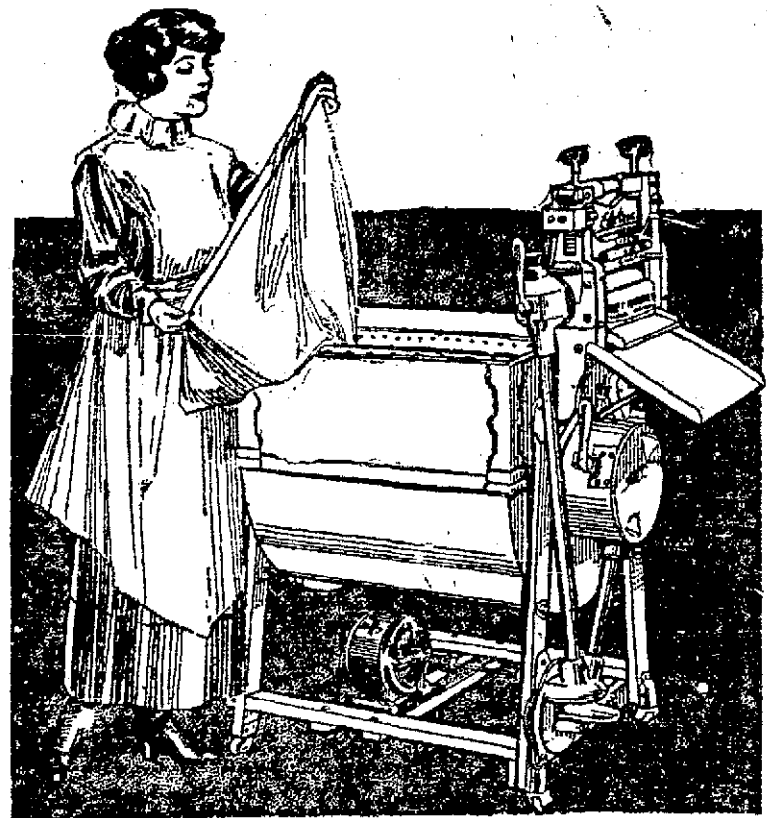
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Get the spirit—it's in the air—that merry melody—the harmony of human feeling—music of a million souls. The whole world turns to face Christmas—Nothing is too good for one at this season of the year—A visit to this store with its colossal stocks, distinctive styles and supreme values will prove most pleasing and profitable.

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Spruce up—let yours be a neat appearance at this season of the year. Possibly you need just such a self-bestowed Christmas Gift—and these special prices will help you enjoy making a selection.

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At 15 Per Cent Discount

There's a look about these handsome clothes that lacks nothing, either in quality of fabric or modish cut of garment.

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AS A CHRISTMAS SURPRISE, so here they are—late arrivals, the best word in style—soft, rich Cheviots in rare dark patterns and colors—serviceable Homespuns for dress or recreation—many pleasing Serges and Mixtures in Worsted and Tweeds. All with that up-to-the-hour cut and finish—made to fit any figure.

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- All \$29.75 SUITS and OVERCOATS \$25.29
- All \$35.00 SUITS and OVERCOATS \$29.75
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So many of them, you'll find exactly what you want.

### 400 Suits and Overcoats

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#### UMBRELLAS

Good quality, Guaranteed Rain-proof Umbrellas with neat and novel handles—at very special prices—



#### Pajamas -- Night Shirts

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#### Gloves -- Gloves -- Gloves

Fine select quality Kidskin Gloves in Cordovan—Grey—Beaver and Black, without lining or lined with silk .....\$1.70 to \$3.82  
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Silk Knitted Reefers—Angora Scarfs—Fibre Silks—Accordion weaves or finest thread Swiss Silks—in rich blending color effects, and long silken fringe—\$1.70 to \$6.37.

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Initial Handkerchiefs of fine Linen—Mercerized Linens and select quality Cotton .....13c to 42c  
All Pure Linen Handkerchiefs .....42c to 81c  
COLORED BORDER HANDKERCHIEFS .....30c and Up  
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#### BELTS AND BUCKLES

"Hickok" Initial Belt Buckles, in Oxidized—Sterling Initial and All Sterling quality, 42c to \$1.70.  
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- \$1.75 Men's Cotton Ribbed Union Suits .....\$1.49
- \$1.75 Men's "High Rock" Fleece Union Suits .....\$1.49
- \$1.75 Men's Part Wool Union Suits .....\$1.49
- \$3.00 Men's Woolen Union Suits .....\$2.25
- \$2.25 "Lambsdown" Fleece Union Suits .....\$1.91
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#### Flannel Shirts

"Racing" Flannel Shirts—colors—Khaki—Olive-Drab—Navy—Brown—Green—Wine—Grey—Buff and Pin Checks, \$1.10 to \$5.64.



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At 15 Per Cent Discount

Hang up one of these Lounging Robes where he'll see it the minute he enters the room—and watch his eyes light up with appreciation. Blanket Robes and Silk House Coats—slippers to match.

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#### MEN'S SHIRTS

New patterns in fine quality Percal — Madras — French, English and Russian Corded materials—Fibre Silks — Silk Broadcloths—Tartan Silks—Creme de Chine—Silk Jerseys, etc.—Never so many shirts to choose from—

- \$1.00 SHIRTS — Now .....\$ .80
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- \$2.00 SHIRTS — Now .....\$1.60
- \$3.00 SHIRTS — Now .....\$2.40
- \$3.50 SHIRTS — Now .....\$2.80
- \$4.00 SHIRTS — Now .....\$3.20
- \$6.00 SHIRTS — Now .....\$4.80
- \$7.50 SHIRTS — Now .....\$6.00
- \$8.50 SHIRTS — Now .....\$6.80
- \$9.75 SHIRTS — Now .....\$7.80

## LISLE, SILK AND WOOL SILK, WOOL, FIBRE, HOSIERY!

Hosiery is always acceptable at Christmas time—and this is the store where only the best makes of Hosiery are given consideration—"Interwoven"—"Holeproof"—"Knox Knit"—"Eagle"—"Shaw-knit"—"Notaseam"—"Nickels-Lauber" and other standard brands are to be found here, in great variety.

- Men's Fine Cotton Hose—All colors .....21c
- Men's Mercerized Lisle Hose—Standard brands .....34c
- Men's Fibre-Silk Hose—Black and colors .....50c
- Men's Pure Thread Silk Hose .....64c to \$1.06
- Men's Pure Silk Hose with embroidered clox .....\$1.06 to \$1.91
- Men's Fine Cashmere Hose—Black and Heather shades .....47c to 64c
- Men's Silk-and-Wool Hose .....64c to \$1.27
- Imported English Cashmere Hose—hand embroidered clox (Full fashioned) .....\$1.49

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## CONFEREES AWAIT FRENCH NOTE

Instructions on Submarine Question Are Delayed

ITALY WOULD BROADEN PACT

Thinks Navy Agreement Should Include Other Nations

WASHINGTON—(By Associated Press)—Failure of the French delegation to receive expected additional instructions as to auxiliary naval craft from its home government, promised to lead to further discussion today of the submarine question by the Washington conference in the single meeting likely to break a pre-Christmas lull.

The further instructions awaited by the French delegation had not been received up to noon and it appeared improbable that delegation members that they would come thru in time to be of use at the meeting of the full naval committee, set for three o'clock. Under a tentative understanding the submarine discussions, opened yesterday with a plea from the British delegation for abolition of submarines, automatically are resumed in event of announcement by the French that they had nothing to present.

### ITALY SEES MENACE

While the various delegations prepared for the afternoon meeting, suggestion came from the Italian representation that an authorized spokesman that another conference be arranged soon after the adjournment of the present gathering to take up further the question of auxiliary naval craft.

The Italians, thru their spokesman, made the point that a number of nations having submarines either built, building or planned were not represented at the present conference and unless brought into agreement with the spirit of the present gathering might at comparatively small outlay construct sufficient submarine tonnage to menace the feeling of security of the powers here represented.

It was conceivable, the Italian spokesman said, that one of the smaller Mediterranean powers, for instance, might at the comparatively low cost of \$50,000,000 provide itself with fifty thousands tons of submarines. This number would far exceed the allowance proposed to be given to Italy under the American plan and might place the outside powers in a position to dominate the Mediterranean.

The Italian suggestion will be brought up for consideration before adjournment, it was said.

### CAUSE OF DELAY

Physical circumstances were said to be holding up the further instructions of the French delegation. Premier Briand arrived in Paris last night and was said to desire presentation of the matter at a cabinet meeting to be held during the day. Even awaiting for the five hours difference in time in favor of Washington, it is not regarded as probable that the expected official cablegram would be dispatched before four or five o'clock in the afternoon. When it arrives here the telegram must be decoded and would require also a certain amount of time for consideration by the French delegation.

The Italian attitude toward the use of submarines was described as unchanged by the elaborate argument made against that type of craft yesterday by Lord Lee of the British delegation. Italy still wants a considerable amount of submarine tonnage and, moreover, does not wish to be prohibited from building some large submarines if she cares to do so, her spokesman said. Dependent upon supplies of raw materials and even food from far distant countries, Italy should have some submarines of large radius of action, he added.

On the whole, the Italian spokesman was convinced that one of the most important points in the history of the conference had been reached when it took up the question of submarines, for it was brought face to face with a problem no less European than Pacific. So far Italy, he explained, had made no objection to the original American plan of allotment of naval strength and it did not intend to make any now in regard to the allotment of submarine tonnage.

Reverting to the suggestion relative to the holding of another conference, the Italian spokesman said:

## EIGHT QUEENS MAY ATTEND MARY'S WEDDING



These eight European queens may attend the \$150,000 wedding of Princess Mary of Great Britain and Viscount Lascelles. They are, left to right: Above, Helene of Italy, Marie of Rumania, Victoria of Sweden and Elizabeth of Belgium; below, Alexandra of Denmark, Wilhelmina of Holland, Maud of Norway and Victoria of Spain.

reference, the Italian spokesman said there would be other subjects than submarines to engage its attention. For instance, he said, some doubt had been raised as to the operation of the naval radio agreement insofar as it related to the building of new warships by nationals of the countries represented here. In countries not so represented, so far, it was pointed out, there was nothing more than Secretary Hughes' declaration in his original speech against that procedure and after all that statement could not bind countries not represented here. It was true these matters might be arranged diplomatically, but after the experience of the Washington conference the Italian delegates were convinced that such conferences were far more effective in reaching speedy agreements than the old process of exchanging diplomatic notes.

The spokesman expressed the opinion there would be no difficulty whatever in obtaining the approval of the Italian chamber of deputies to any agreements reached at the present conference.

### TREAT FOR KIDDIES OF EAST SIDE, SOUTH SIDE

East Side kiddies numbering more than 250, packed No. 5 fire station Thursday night for the Christmas party arranged for their benefit by directors of leisure time activities of the Child Welfare Association and Y. M. C. A. officials.

The program will be repeated Friday night at No. 6 fire station, for the benefit of South Side boys and girls.

A movie furnished by S. C. Biddle, industrial secretary of the Y. M. C. A., opened the program at 7 o'clock. Songs and recitations completed the program, after which the children were presented with bags of candy, fruits and nuts.

Toys donated by business houses will be added to the affair of Friday night at No. 5 fire station. The S. S. Orchestra will participate in the program. The program will start promptly at 7 p. m. with the showing of the movie.

### SOLICITOR ABSENT, TRIAL OF MAYFIELD POSTPONED

Trial of Elmer Mayfield, 444 S. Main-st., arrested by police on a charge of selling intoxicating liquor, and alleged to be a runner for traffickers in rum, was postponed Friday.

Judge Jackson set Friday morning as the time of hearing the matter, but granted a continuance because of the absence of Solicitor H. E. Garling.

### SLEEP SICKNESS CURE

LIVERPOOL, Eng.—Professor Newstead of Liverpool University says German scientists have discovered a new drug which has proved invaluable in the cure of sleeping sickness.

### CHRISTIAN ARMY WILL DISTRIBUTE CHRISTMAS BASKETS ON SATURDAY

Christmas baskets for the needy will be given out by the Christian Army at their hall, 133 E. Wayne-st., Saturday morning, between the hours of eight and nine o'clock according to announcement made by K. J. Snyder, officer in charge of the local work.

Major Douglass and his wife have it's BETAIN NU NU NU XUNU War Sufferers has been assigned the Christmas effort. They will also take part in special meetings to be held. Needy children will be given a treat of candy and good things at an entertainment to be held Friday evening at the hall. "Happy" P. J. Meikel and his son, who have been working in the underworld in the large cities, will assist in a series of meetings to be held over Christmas. Meikel is an evangelist and his son is an entertainer.

### IMPROVED SERVICE ON B. & O. DINERS

The B. & O. Railroad has inaugurated a 50-cent breakfast on its dining cars operating thru Lima. In view of the increased thru traffic on the main line and the consistent demands made upon the company for a lower tariff in its dining car service, the eastern office has authorized the serving of 50-cent table dote breakfasts on all dining cars on the B. & O. system, it was said Friday. A in car breakfast service ranges from 50 cents to \$1 in price.

### ALLEGED SHOPLIFTER IS ADJUDGED TO BE INSANE

Mrs. Magdalena, 56, 709 1/2 S. Main-st., was adjudged insane in probate court in a hearing late Thursday, and was ordered committed to the state hospital at Toledo.

Mrs. McCambridge was arrested Wednesday at the instance of detectives of the Lima Merchants' association. She was charged with shoplifting from several Lima stores. Detectives declare they recovered goods to the value of \$90 at her home.

Testimony developed Mrs. McCambridge had escaped from the Sawyer sanitarium at Marion, after being a patient there but a few weeks.

### FLORAL BAZAAR IN AID OF ST. RITA'S CONTINUED

The floral bazaar being conducted by St. Rita's Hospital Guild in the Domestic-bldg. on West-st. near Market, is thronged each day with buyers. Potted plants, Christmas blooms, holly wreaths, Christmas trees, mistletoe and Yuletide greens are being sold for the benefit of the hospital.

The sale will not close until Saturday night, to give all an opportunity to purchase their Christmas decorations and thereby aid the hospital.

\$14,000 TAKEN.—After binding Mrs. Stephen Makoto, wife of a former assistant state's attorney, two armed robbers took money and jewelry estimated at \$14,000.

### LIONS INCREASE FUND TO PROVIDE MILK FOR UNDERNOURISHED BABES

The biggest Christmas gift in the keeping of the Lions club was the enlargement of the fund to provide milk for the undernourished babies in Lima. Announcement of the gift to the Social Service bureau was made Friday.

The Lions club gathered in the Elks' Temple for the annual Christmas party. Besides increasing the annual fund provided by the club to care for undernourished babies, more than 100 toys were distributed to the poor children of the city. A special Yuletide program was given.

An event extraordinary is announced by the Lions for next week, date unset, when two heavyweight members of the club, will get together to determine the athletic champion of the organization.

### TWO BROTHERS ARE MARRIED TO SISTERS

The Burden home, N. Woodward-av., was the scene of a double wedding, Thursday night, when the Rev. L. R. Mitchell officiated at the marriage of two brothers and two sisters.

William Burden, 28, laborer, 214 S. Miller-av. and Miss Nancy Estlelan Burden, 20, domestic, secured their marriage license Thursday evening.

The bridegrooms are brothers and the brides are sisters. The double wedding was the outcome, at the home of the brides' parents. Parties to the marriage are all colored.

### TRAPPED UNDERGROUND IN BOSTON SUB EXPLOSION

BOSTON.—Traffic was stopped for two hours today and thousands of commuters and Christmas shoppers were trapped in trains underground when a main power cable in the Cambridge Subway grounded and exploded.

Confusion ensued in the vicinity of the explosion when volumes of smoke poured thru the tube. Subway officials said there were no casualties and that the damage was slight.

### A GIFT DE LUXE

Finest Victrola Ever Seen Here on Display in Harman's Window

There is on display in the west window of Harman's furniture store a magnificent type of Victrola. It is the finest instrument that has been received in Lima and is attracting considerable attention from lovers of the beautiful. It was ordered especially as a Christmas gift.

This Victrola is of the William and Mary period in the console cabinet style. The cabinet is of American walnut inlaid with burl walnut and with borders of cross inlaid around each panel. It stands four feet high and cost about one thousand dollars. The motor is exceptionally large and the tone is mellow and full.

Those who admire handsome pieces of furniture may see this instrument in the window of Harman's tonight and tomorrow morning.

### "WHITE XMAS" IS PROSPECT

Maybe, after all, Lima will witness a "White Christmas." The weather forecaster held out hopes along that line Friday, in a prediction of rain or sleet tonight, probably turning to snow Saturday.

Colder Saturday, he asserts, and that means a life saver for a visitation of snow—if it should come.

Santa Claus' hopes of being able to use his sleigh and reindeer teams were augmented considerably by Friday's forecast. He is due in Lima tomorrow night and assures the kiddies he will be on time.

Christmas is Christmas, but when the earth isn't covered with snow on the great christian holiday, the sentiment of the occasion is not complete.

### PLEADS GUILTY.

NEW YORK.—Pleading guilty to manslaughter, Jeremiah Bonon, former internal revenue inspector in Brooklyn, was sentenced to Sing Sing for from three to ten years for killing Monk Eastman, notorious gangster.

### LITTLE HOPE HELD OUT FOR SNOW CHRISTMAS

WASHINGTON.—Warmer weather with rain promised today to destroy hopes of snow for Christmas over all of the eastern half of the country except the extreme northern states. West of the Mississippi river, where there is snow, it probably will remain for reports to the weather bureau from that territory, said no thawing weather was expected between now and Christmas.

Weather bureau officials said there was a possibility that the rain falling today or forecast for tonight east of the Mississippi might not be sufficient to melt all of the snow now on the ground in some sections, but southward from the Ohio river and the southern border of Pennsylvania there was little likelihood of any remaining.

The weather will be colder generally thruout the eastern half of the country on Christmas day, the bureau said.

### AMBULANCE REMOVALS

LONG AND BOWERSOCK: Joseph Miller, St. Rita's hospital to 534 E. Elm-st.

WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: Mrs. Charles Rhodes, City hospital to her home half mile north of Kimer.

### BOY MODEST HERO

WHITBY, England.—Wilfrid Elders, errand boy, who jumped into the harbor and rescued a 6-year-old boy, was too modest to report his heroic act to his employer.

# Xmas Specials DORSEY'S

## POULTRY OF ALL KINDS— DRESSED OR ALIVE

Best Mich. Potatoes, pk. . . . .35c	10 lbs. Buckwheat Flour . . .50c
Best Mich. Potatoes, bu. . . . .\$1.35	2 lbs. Good New Prunes . . .25c
Best Mich. Potatoes, sack \$3.35	Tall Milk, per can . . . . .10c
3 lbs. Jersey Sweet Potatoes 25c	New Rolled Oats, pkg. . . . .10c
New Hominy, lb. . . . . .5c	Seeded Raisins, Sunmaid, bulk
10 lbs. Best Mich. Beans . . . . .60c	or package . . . . .25c
10 lbs. New Lima Beans . . . . .90c	Seedless Raisins, Sunmaid, bulk
100 lbs. Cran. Sugar . . . . . \$3.50	or package . . . . .25c
17 lbs. Gran. Sugar . . . . . \$4.00	Drop-dried Dates . . . . .25c
10 lbs. Gran. Sugar . . . . . .60c	Green Label Coffee . . . . .28c
10 lbs. Pulverized Sugar . . . . .95c	Old Reliable Coffee . . . . .30c
Almon Cream Nut and English	3-10c Rolls Toilet Paper . . .25c
Walnut Meat, lb. 75c & \$1.00	6-5c Rolls Toilet Paper . . .25c
49 lbs. Silver Star, Gold Lace or	3-10c Pkgs. Scrap Tobacco 25c
Pride of Lima Flour . . . . . \$1.55	5 boxes Matches . . . . .25c
1 gal. Red Pitted Cherries \$1.65	75c Brooms . . . . .50c
1 gal. Black Berries . . . . . \$1.25	6 cakes H. W. Castle Soap 25c
1 gal. Black Raspberries . . . \$1.65	10 bars Classic Soap . . . . .55c
1 gal. Red Raspberries . . . . . \$1.65	10 bars Rub-No-More Soap . . .55c
1 gal. Rhubarb, best . . . . . .60c	10 bars Flake White Soap . . .60c
1 gal. Apples, best . . . . . .85c	10 bars P. & C. Napha Soap 60c
1 gal. Pine Apples . . . . . .85c	10 bars Fels-Naptha Soap . . .65c
1 gal. Apple Butter . . . . . \$1.00	10 bars Lenox Soap . . . . .50c
2 cans Extra Good Corn . . . . .25c	3-10c Ivory, H. W. Castle or
2 cans Extra Good Peas . . . . .25c	Creole Oil Soap . . . . .25c
2 cans Red Salmon . . . . .25c	Old Dutch Cleanser . . . . .10c
2 cans Tuna Fish . . . . .25c	3 Climacene . . . . .25c
2 lbs. Macaroni, bulk . . . . .25c	
2 lbs. Spaghetti, bulk . . . . .25c	
2 jars Apple Butter . . . . .25c	

### SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL CIGARS BY THE BOX

### OYSTERS SEAL SHIPPED GLUTEN FLOUR

<b>Fancy Mixed Candy</b>	3 lbs. Home Made Kraut . . .25c
4 lb. box \$1.00	Full lb. Horse Shoe Tobacco 65c
<b>Chocolate Drops</b>	10c Smoking Tobacco . . . . .5c
1 lb. box 50c	4 lbs. Good Pop Corn . . . . .25c
<b>Mince Meat</b>	New Bulk Dates, lb. . . . .25c
50c can Premier, 30c	2 pkgs. Little Crow Pancake 25c
60c can Premier Plum Pudding	50 Good 8c Cigars, box . . . \$2.10
3-10c pkgs. Any Scrap . . . . .40c	Nice Fresh Mixed Candy, lb. 15c
2-10c pkgs. Any Scrap . . . . .25c	Turkish Figs, finest, lb. . . . .40c
2-10c pkgs. Any Scrap . . . . .25c	3 pkgs. Plymouth Rock Gelatin . . . . .25c
2-10c pkgs. Any Scrap . . . . .25c	3 pkgs. Jiffy Jell . . . . .25c
2-10c pkgs. Any Scrap . . . . .25c	Jello—Any flavor . . . . .10c

### 3 cans of Fancy Peaches, Pears, Plums, Pineapples or White or Red Pitted Cherries—VERY SPECIAL! \$1.00

### Nut Meats of All Kinds Also All Kinds of Nuts

### You Can Get Anything You Want at Dorsey's

Aligator Pears	Leaf Lettuce	Malaga Grapes
Radishes	Mangoes	Tokay Grapes
Celery Root	Parsley	New Figs.
Celery	Cauliflower	Kumquats
Cabbage	Celery Cabbage	New Raisins, bulk
Beets	Endive—Spinach	and in pkg.
Parsnips	Cranberries	(Sunmaid).
Carrots	Quinces	New English
Hubbard Squash	Grape Fruit	Currants
Pumpkins	Calo Oranges	Boiled and Sweet
New Peas	Florida Oranges	Cider
New Dill Pickles	Calo Lemons	Garlic
Tomatoes	Pomegranates	Holland Herring
Cucumbers	Cooking Apples	Bulk and Keg
Spanish Onions	Jonathan Apples	Milkers
Head Lettuce	Roman Beauty	New Cornmeal and
	Apples	Buckwheat

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Mixed Nuts  
Paper Shell Walnuts  
New Pecans  
Shell Bark Hickory Nuts  
Large and Small  
New Black Walnuts  
Pop Corn that Pops  
Mixed Nuts  
New York Cream Cheese  
Longhorn Cheese  
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Cheese  
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Complete line of such goods as Francis H. Lixet's. Wm. Edward's, Chase & Sanborn Coffees and Teas. David Berg's Sausages.

We are second to none in real good butter and fresh eggs. Also complete 57 Varieties of H. J. Heinz good goods.

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Order During Evening for Saturday if Possible

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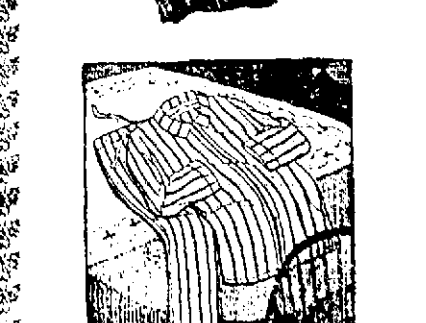
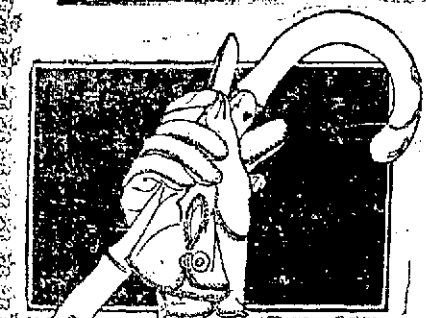
## Shirts

--he'll need and appreciate



A Shirt from Jolley-Chenoweth is a Shirt of real merit as a Xmas gift.

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Store  
"Where He Buys"



### SUSPENDERS Good Elastic

29c - 89c

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### MUFFLERS An Ideal Gift

\$1.98 - \$2.79

### SHEEP SKIN LINED COATS Nicely Lined at

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# THE Harvard Clothes SHOP

East Market and Union Streets



# PRICE OF BOOZE IS DROPPING

Lax Law Enforcement in New York Given as Cause

BIG SUPPLY IS AVAILABLE

Moonshiners Mix Old and New Brands Now

# OLD POP SODA HAS A KICK!

NEW YORK—(Special.)—Pop Soda with a kick of a mule! That is what they are selling now. Some soft drink manufacturers began making their own fruit syrups. The government allows them to get bonded alcohol out of the warehouses for this. As a side line some of them make moonshine. They paste a ginger ale label on the soda bottle, forget the revenue stamps and sell it to their retail trade with a wink. It costs thirty-five cents a glass. But—ouch!

(BY ALEXANDER HERMAN.) NEW YORK—(Special.)—The price of booze is dropping. Its supply is increasing. This is due to lax prohibition enforcement.

Certain bootleggers who charged for a bottle two years ago and \$7 last year, are now selling for as low as \$5. Moonshiners who operate in the East Side and Little Italy are flooding the market.

We were slowed up for two months," explained one of the nearest traffickers. But wait until after the first. He had 250 cases of Haig and Haig—Five Star—for sale at \$95 a case.

"It's genuine stuff, I know. The police once confiscated it." MORE BARGAINS. Another dealer in the same little coffee shop, less than half a mile from police headquarters, offered another bargain. "Old Taylor—pint bottles. Last year I was getting \$70 a case. Today I'll sell for \$37." Dealers throughout the city are cutting their prices. A trip thru the moonshine districts of lower Manhattan and Brooklyn revealed the following prices:

	Price per case in	1919	1920	1921
Green River				
Whisky	\$20-\$100	\$44-\$75	\$45-\$50	
Old Taylor	84-120	45-75	45-55	
Grand Old	75-100	40-65	40-75	
Port Wine	94-120	55-60	45-55	
Creme de Cacao	120	95	60	
Haig and Haig	110-125	70-80	50-60	

"Little of this stuff," explained one moonshiner, "is real. We mix most of it—taking a small part of the bonded goods and mixing it with our own." BUYER IS BUNCOED. Bottles, labels, corks and counterfeit revenue stamps are supplied—and the buyer is buncoed. "We don't deliver in cases anymore. The risk is too great. We wrap the bottles in newspapers and deliver in taxicabs." There is comparatively little of the real bonded goods for sale. Most of this, bootleggers say, is being held by big interests for consumption later on. Members of a large liquor concern in a New York suburb recently formed a drug company. They now have several hundred barrels of alcohol stored in a shop on one of the main streets—to be disposed of later.

25% DISCOUNT ON ALL DOLLS AT BLUEM'S.

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Buy the Family a FORD for Xmas.

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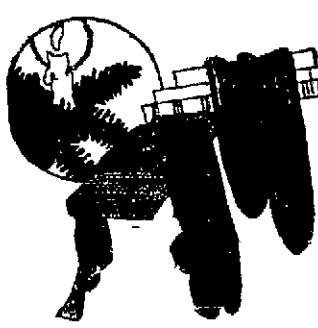
WENTWORTH-DEAN ELECTRIC CO., 211 W. HIGH-ST. OPEN EVERY EVENING THIS WEEK.

DOLL BEDS SPECIAL—50c AND 75c—AT BLUEM'S.

Buy a FORD for Her Xmas.

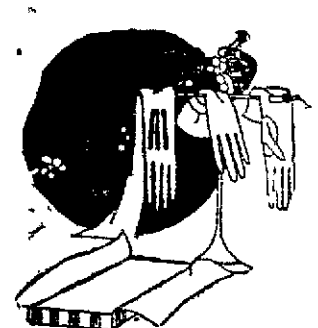
# Gift Suggestions For Saturday Shoppers

From the Store of Choice and Distinctive Gifts



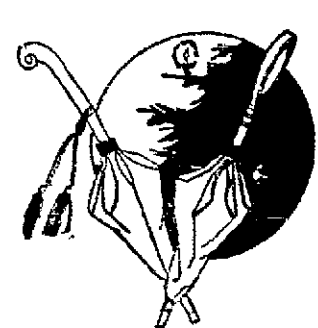
Women's Hosiery

The latest in women's hosiery, gold and flesh silk, full fashioned at \$3.50 a pr.



Gloves

Ladies' fashionable French kid gauntlets, in all colors, priced at \$5.25 a pr.



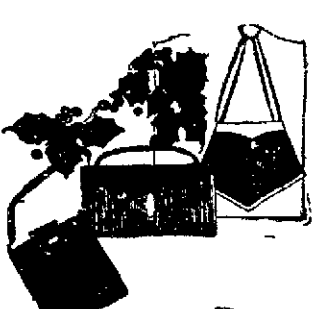
Silk Umbrellas

Ladies' silk sun-rain umbrellas, in purple, green, black, navy, and red, smart handles, \$5.25 up.



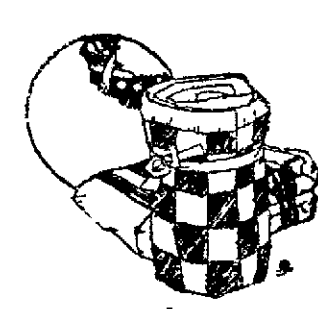
Toilet Goods

A full line of imported perfumes, and powders, that would please the most exacting woman. Quelques Fleurs, Ideal, Geuraine, etc.



Purses

A full line of gift purses, including genuine leather hand tooled and hand laced purses and handbags, priced from \$22.25 upwards.



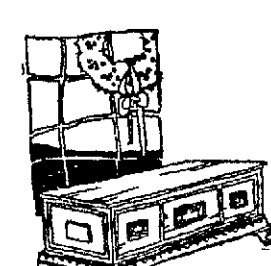
Blankets

A complete showing of heavy and light weight blankets, in Lakeside, and Beacon brands—both comfortable and blankets. Prices are low.

It's a Real Gift When It Comes From Bluem's!

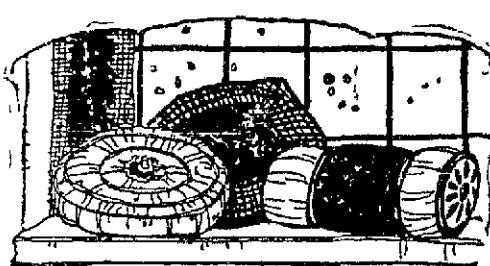


Cedar Chests



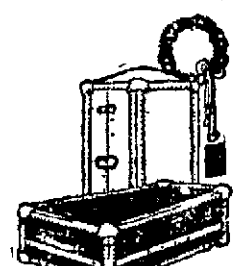
A wonderful gift, and one that is the delight of every girl is a cedar chest. We carry a fine display, priced from \$10.50 upwards.

Pillows



Our pillows are made up in new and clever designs, and offer a valuable gift suggestion for a home lover. All materials, all shapes, \$1.50 up.

Trunks and Luggage

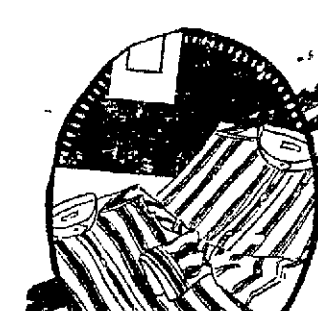


Our gift luggage is complete in every detail, and features trunks of the highest quality at \$31.00 up, and traveling bags at various prices.



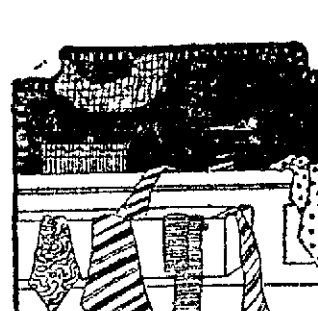
Men's Hose

Men's hose, in imported brands, such as Saxony, full fashioned at \$1.50 per pair.



Men's Shirts

The shirt display is still complete, showing madras, brochet, and silks, ranging in price from \$2.25 upwards.



Men's Ties

Men's cut silk ties, in a large and comprehensive showing, from 85c up. Knits \$1.85 up.

# Christmas Furs—

A gift that will please her so much, that you can consider it as inexpensive. And our line of capes, stoles, scarfs, coats, chokers, muffs, etc. will afford you a fine selection. The finest feature of the fur sale however is a

20 Per Cent Discount

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF

Fine Furs



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BLUEM'S

IN THE NEW RETAIL DISTRICT

# Let Hunter's Help Solve Your Christmas Problems

3 RELIABLE CUT RATE STORES

ARGONNE DRUG STORE OPPOSITE POST OFFICE HUNTER'S REXALL STORE MAIN AND WAYNE HUNTER'S DRUG STORE 49 PUBLIC SQUARE

# STATIONERY For Xmas



makes an ideal gift. We have it in all the latest styles and colorings.

35c a Box and Up

# BUY HIM A BOX OF CIGARS

ALL THE WELL KNOWN BRANDS in small or large boxes.



# EVERYBODY WANTS

a private, personal box of candy at Christmas time. Here are suggestions that will suit every good taste in chocolates and confections.



You know the Sampler, the Pleasure Island, Salmagundi Chocolates, Super Extra Chocolates, The Fussy Package and all the others. See our display.



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ONE POUND BOX Vignette ASSORTED CHOCOLATES

49c

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59c

MANY OTHER CANDY SPECIALS WILL BE FOUND IN OUR STORES.

# SATURDAY SPECIALS

- \$1.00 Assorted Toilet Waters 69c
- \$1.00 Tanlac . . . . .87c
- \$3.50 Horlick's Malted Milk \$3.99
- \$1.10 Masten's Vitamin . . . . .87c
- 50c Peppermint Tooth Paste . . . . .39c
- 25c Woodbury's Soap . . . . .19c
- \$1.25 Decco . . . . .95c
- 50c Hind's H & A Cream . . . . .48c
- \$1.25 Miles' Nervine . . . . .87c
- \$1.25 Pilsud's Lilac Toilet Water . . . . .81.00
- 60c Pompadour Day Cream . . . . .45c
- 60c Pompadour Face Powder . . . . .45c
- Kirk's Hardwater Soap, 4 for 25c
- \$1.00 Dandeline . . . . .70c
- 25c Golden Gilt . . . . .19c

JUST RECEIVED FRESH SHIPMENT OF FISH FOOD, 10c a Box

# Suggestions for Last Minute Shoppers

- MANICURE SETS
- KODAKS
- SAFETY RAZORS
- FOUNTAIN PENS
- STATIONERY
- CANDIES
- EVERSHARP PENCILS
- TOILET SETS
- BOOKS

- BILL FOLDS
- THERMOS BOTTLES
- PERFUMES
- GAMES
- CIGARS
- FLASHLIGHTS
- PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS
- TOILET WATERS
- PIPES

3 Good Places to Trade and Save

ARGONNE DRUG STORE OPPOSITE POST OFFICE HUNTER'S REXALL STORE MAIN AND WAYNE HUNTER'S DRUG STORE 49 PUBLIC SQUARE



Buy Your Jewelry Gifts from "The Little Store With the Big Values."

JEWELRY—THE PERMANENT GIFT

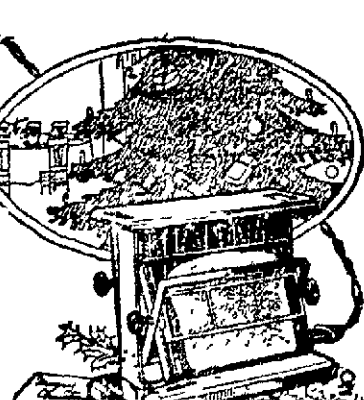
Diamond Mounted Rings, Pins, Emblems, Lavalieres, Watches, Clocks, Silverware, Ivory

Puetz & Pratt

—Jewelers—

111 W. High St.

3 Doors From Main



Buy Electrical Gifts from an Electric Store

For Her For Him For Everyone

- Electric Irons
- Toasters
- Flashlights
- Xmas Tree Outfits
- Coffee Percolators
- Portable Heaters
- Grills

- Violet Ray Machines
- Curling Irons
- Sweepers
- Vibrators
- Portable Lamps
- Light Fixtures
- Washing Machines
- Ironing Machines

Nothing is more appropriate than the electrical gift. In it is combined beauty, utility and durability. For father, mother, sister or brother there is an electrical gift to meet every requirement. Here are a few suggestions:

Wentworth-Dean Electric Co.

211 West High St.

# Milan E. Toneff

Groceries and Meats

668 S. Main St. FREE DELIVERY Phone Main 4321

# Christmas Specials

To every customer with \$3.00 order of Groceries and Meats we will give a half bushel basket free.

# MEAT DEPARTMENT

- Veal Chops
- Veal Steak
- Veal Roast
- Veal Stew
- Pork Chops
- Pork Steak
- Pork Roast
- Pork Shoulder
- Round Steak
- Porterhouse Steak
- Sirloin Steak
- Beef Roast
- Rib Roast
- Rib Eals
- Bologna
- Weiners
- Pressed Ham
- Baked Ham
- Vinced Ham
- Roast Pudding
- Saus. Liver
- Pudding, Etc.

Our quality cannot be excelled. We do not cut the price, but we do cut good meat.

# GROCERIES

- Sugar per lb. . . . . 6c
- Mixed Nuts, per lb. . . . . 25c
- Brazil Nuts, per lb. . . . . 25c
- English Walnuts, per lb. . . . . 39c
- Apple per pkg . . . . . 12c
- Apple, 5c, 6 for . . . . . 25c
- Apple, 10c, 3 for . . . . . 25c
- Orange, per doz. . . . . 40 and 55c
- Apple, per lb., 10c; 3 for . . . . . 25c
- Apple, per glass . . . . . 10c
- Peach, bulk, 2 lbs. for . . . . . 25c
- Bulk Coffee, 6 lbs. for . . . . . \$1.00
- Coffee, bulk, 3 for . . . . . \$1.00
- Raisins, Seedless, bulk, lb. . . . . 25c
- Raisins, White, per lb. . . . . 35c
- Potatoes, nice, per peck . . . . . 38c
- 2 lbs Bulk Kraut for . . . . . 25c
- Dates, per pkg. . . . . 15 and 25c
- Figs, per pkg. . . . . 15c
- Raspberries, black, 3 cans . . . . . 85c
- Strawberries, 3 cans . . . . . 85c
- Dark Karo . . . . . 10, 30, 50c
- Light Karo . . . . . 13, 35, 60c
- Milk, per can . . . . . 10c
- Milk, 3 small cans . . . . . 19c
- Crackers, per lb. . . . . 15c
- Oyster Crackers, 2 lbs. . . . . 25c
- Buckwheat Flour, 4 lbs. . . . . 25c
- Peas . . . . . 15, 18, 20, 25c
- Corn . . . . . 13, 15, 18, 20, 25c
- Pork and Beans . . . . . 10, 13, 15, 25c
- Cluster Raisins, per lb. . . . . 35c
- All Fancy Cakes, per lb. . . . . 35c

EXTRA—3 lb. box of Monarch Coffee . . . . . 95c

Apple Butter, per gallon can . . . . . 85c

Fancy White Grapes, imported, per lb. . . . . 35c

Oyster—Standards and Selects—Fresh, per qt. . . . . 60 and 75c

Fresh Country Eggs, guaranteed, per dozen . . . . . 55c

Please Telephone Your Order Early



## PHONE FROM RAIL CAR NEXT

New Device to be Provided for Traveling Public

TALK BY WIRED WIRELESS

Passenger Chats by Long Distance While Speeding

SCHENECTADY, N. Y. — (By Associated Press) — It won't be long until—

You can be back among the pillows of your Pullman berth on a moving express train and telephone to the next city for hotel accommodations.

Or you can take down the phone that hangs next your car window and pass away the weary traveling hours by chatting with friends hundreds of miles away.

Because experts are working on plans now the completion of which will enable you to telephone from any train to anyone anywhere who has an ordinary telephone.

But that won't come until the railways have been electrified.

Your messages won't travel by wireless. If they did anyone with a receiving set could "listen" in on your conversation.

Instead they'll travel in the ether surrounding the electric rail that runs your train.

That's called "wired wireless."

For the first time this newest idea in telephony is being put to practical use on an electrified railroad here.

J. H. Payne, expert in radio use, has devised a way for an engineer on a locomotive traveling on an electrified railroad to sound a small whistle on another locomotive or in a station and then talk with anyone in that other locomotive or station.

His voice and signals are carried in alternating current over the trolley wire whose powerful direct current operates the railroad. Payne also found he could start and stop a locomotive from a distant point by the use of his telephone.

Efficiency of this in train safety and telephoning from trains thus become unlimited. It remains now for further refinements to be made by Payne's pioneering.

Straight wireless with its consequent broadcasting of messages has had spectacular tests between trains on the D. L. & W. railroad but never until Payne's experiments had the more direct and simple wired wireless been put to the same use conveying radio vibrations from a moving train, the vibrations traveling in the ether immediately surrounding a trolley wire.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Harmon Leslie Thomas, 21, laborer, 936 Bellefontaine av., and Miss Trede Louvada Bennett, 17, of 955 S. Main-st.

Arthur Webster Jones, 21, laborer, 14 Miller-av. and Nancy Estleau Auden, 20, domestic, N. Woodward.

REMOVED FROM HOSPITAL.

Miss Charles Rhodes, residing half a mile north of Lima, Putnam-co., who suffered a fractured leg when she fell from a hay mow at her home several weeks ago, recovered sufficiently at City hospital to be removed to her home.

NO CLUE TO ROBBERS.

Police are without clues to the identity of the men who entered the office of the National Corrosion Works, 225 S. Union-st. and the S. G. Blatner & company clothing store, 229 S. Main-st. early Tuesday. Money and clothing totalling near \$500 was taken.

VOTE FAVORS TREATY.

ENNIS, Ireland. The Clare county voted 17 to 5 in favor of the peace treaty between Ireland and England.

KILLED BY TRAIN.

DAYTON — John Daugherty, 35, transfer, was instantly killed today when struck by a passenger train at the Wayne-av grade crossing.

STORK BRINGS BOY.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stank, 1510 W. High-st. announce the birth of a son at St. Rita's hospital, Thursday night.

Violets, Roses, Chrysanthemums,

Good selection Potted Plants, Wreaths, Baskets and Pottery. The Flower Shop — North Main-st., Phone, Main 3422.

## PHONING FROM A TRAIN



## FIRE EQUIPMENT VALUED AT \$200,000. REPORT OF CHIEF JOHN MACK SHOWS

A list of property belonging to the Lima fire department is approximately \$200,000, according to the report for the year filed with Safety Director D. W. Dennis by Chief John Mack.

The items listed in the inventory include real estate, motor equipment, hose, chemicals, furniture, tools and miscellaneous accessories.

The department has ten pieces of motor apparatus including the chiefs car, hook and ladder wagon, one fire engine tractor drawn six combination hose and chemical trucks and one service car.

The department is in need of a squad wagon, Mack says, and in making his report for the year, Safety Director Dennis may call attention of the new commission to the need.

## SIGNS RELIEF BILL

President Affixes Signature to Appropriation for Russia

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — President Harding has signed the Russian relief bill which carries appropriations of \$20,000,000 to be expended under the supervision of the American relief administration. The funds become immediately available.

Grain will be moving into Russia within five days from the \$20,000,000 appropriation, Secretary Hoover said upon leaving the White House soon after it was announced the president had signed the bill.

The cash was put by congress in the hands of the grain corporation, Mr. Hoover said, so that the funds will be available in a convenient manner and without the delays incident to usual government expenditures.

## GIRL SHOT TO DEATH. SLAYER KILLS HIMSELF

BOSTON — A young girl, about 20 years of age, was shot to death by an unknown man, who turned the revolver on himself, sending a bullet thru his head, as the two sat at a table in a Chinese restaurant here early today.

The girl died almost instantly and the man a few minutes later.

No one actually saw the shooting. The couple occupied one of the stalls which lead off the main dining room. They had been in the stall but a few minutes when three shots were heard. Waiters and patrons rushed to the little enclosure. The girl had slumped down in her chair. A bullet had pierced her breast, another entered her forehead.

The man lay stretched out on the floor, shot thru the head. The police rushed him to a hospital but he died enroute.

## MRS. H. L. SHERRICK IS NAMED TRUSTEE OF FUND

Mrs. Harry L. Sherrick, 710 W. High-st., has been appointed trustee of a fund of \$20,000, created for Mrs. Henry S. Smith by her husband, in his will.

The trust fund consists of notes and money.

## CHURCH IS GIVEN DEATH SENTENCE

Convicted of Killing Auto Salesman in Chicago

CHICAGO — (By Associated Press) — Harvey Church, charged with the murder of two automobile salesmen, was found guilty this morning and sentenced to death.

Church killed Carl Ausmus and Bernard Daugherty when they delivered a car which he had arranged to buy.

The jury, which went out last night, reached a verdict on the first ballot, being unanimous for the death penalty.

Church, who is 21 years old, was arrested at Adams, Wisconsin, his old home, a few days after the double slaying. The body of Ausmus was dug up under the floor of the garage at the Church home near Daugherty's body, with hands and feet bound with ropes, was later found in the Desplaines river.

Church, according to police, made three detailed confessions telling how he had arranged to buy a \$5,000 automobile from the salesmen, and then killed them in the basement of his home when they delivered the machine, and disposed of their bodies. The confessions, however, were not introduced at the trial.

The defense rested entirely on an insanity plea, Church's aged mother, his sister and neighbors from Adams, Wisconsin taking the stand to tell of alleged eccentricities. He was tried for the killing of Ausmus, the indictment in the Daugherty case being held in reserve.

## 7 AUTOS STOLEN

Thieves Make Rich Hauls—Five Are Recovered

Automobile thieves have made rich hauls in Lima during the past week, unchecked by police.

Seven cars have been stolen since Sunday, owners report, and in but one case has there been an arrest made. The man was released without prosecution.

Knowledge of the series of thefts came to light Friday when George Gast, Allentown-Id., reported his car was stolen Sunday and altho he had reported the loss to the police, he had heard nothing from them.

Five of the seven cars stolen are said to have been found, but two are still missing. Among them is Gast's machine, a Studebaker touring car.

The list of stolen cars includes Cadillac touring, belonging to the Lima Cadillac company; Studebaker touring car, George Gast, Allentown-Id.; Buick roadster, property of Harley Arnold, Ford sedan, from H. J. Strasburg, 316 W. Elm-st.; Cadillac roadster, Mrs. A. J. Dunn, 218 S. Collett-st.; Cadillac touring, I. R. Creps; Vehe 5 passenger, from J. C. Evans.

In but two of these cases was the theft of cars made public by the police.

## INCORPORATE MUSIC COMPANY FOR \$100,000

Application for a charter, incorporating the E. S. Porter Son company, 143 S. Main-st., was filed in the office of the secretary of state at Columbus, Friday.

The new company will be capitalized at \$100,000, it is announced. The Porter company is one of the oldest music houses in the city and hitherto had not been incorporated.

Organization of the new concern is to occur early the coming week, according to William H. Leete, attorney for the company and a principal stockholder. Officers and directors will be elected at that time. Others interested are: J. E. Porter, Edith Shiverdecker, Anna Owen and Ed Kohler.

## MORE WED—LESS BORN

PARIS — Since 1913, the marriage rate in France has increased from 150 to 295 to every 10,000 inhabitants. But the birth rate has fallen from 153 to 155 in 10,000.

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# This is a Newspaper for all the family—

The LIMA NEWS is wonderfully complete. It has everything that a great newspaper should contain. Its news service covers every nook and cranny of the world. With the Associated Press, the United Press, N. E. A. Service, International News and ten specialties from other syndicates including the famous B. C. Forbes financial letters and the News' own staff of correspondents, it has nearly 15,000 reporters constantly at work.

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There are two special pages every day, with style notes and patterns, household economy hints, beauty and health instructions, recipes for the table, club news, social notes, a daily editorial written by a woman for women. Women in the home, in business, in politics, are kept fully informed of all the activities of their especial interest.

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# Mammoth Jewelry Sale

SATURDAY --LAST DAY TO BUY GIFTS

Diamonds	Watches	Beads	Rings
\$15 to \$1500	Elgin 7 Jewels	Assorted Strand	Solid Gold, Assorted Stones, Ladies' or Men's Mounting
	<b>\$10</b>	<b>\$1.19</b>	<b>\$5.00</b>
Ivory Sets	Ladies' Wrist Watch	Gold Lavalliers	Manicure Sets
Comb, Brush, Mirror	20-year Case, Guaranteed, 15 Jewels	Assorted Designs	Mother of Pearl, Etc.
<b>\$3.50</b>	<b>\$16.50</b>	<b>\$5<sup>UP</sup></b>	<b>\$5.00</b>

PHILIP KOHN & CO.

JEWELERS

106 E. MARKET ST.

OPPOSITE LIMA HOUSE



# UMBERMAN ARE SUMMONED

Called to Appear Before Congress  
Committee Jan. 9

THEIR AID IN POLICY SOUGHT

Hearing Intended to Fix Forest  
Legislative Program

CHICAGO — (By Associated Press) — An American forest policy based upon the knowledge and judgment of the most qualified foresters, timber men and lumber manufacturers, is hoped for by lumbermen as a result of hearings before the agricultural committee of Congress beginning January 9. Chairman Hagen of the committee has notified all persons interested in the subject of a forest policy to attend the hearings to aid Congress in forest legislation.

Lumbermen here say they are anxious for the adoption of a national forest policy that will first of all preserve forest resources, and at the same time permit efficient and conservative lumber manufacture to supply the lumber needs of the nation.

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the National Lumber Manufacturers Association of Chicago all the facilities of the association were offered for the service of the agricultural committee, and John H. Kirby, of Houston, Texas, President of the National Lumber Manufacturers Association, and George S. Long, of Tacoma, Washington, Chairman of the association's forestry committee, were designated to attend the Washington hearings and represent the lumber industry.

# Keltner's Enterprise Drug News

Circulation—Thousands  
of Satisfied Patrons

Our Motto—The  
Public Be Pleased

Weather—Always  
Fair at Keltner's

VALUES

THESE SPECIALS SATURDAY

SERVICE

One Good Store Where You Find Everything in the Drug  
and Toilet Line — San Tox and Nyals Agency

SPECIAL SATURDAY  
CUT PRICES

TOILET ARTICLES  
(Tax Included)

25c Djer Kiss Talcum .....20c  
50c Djer Kiss Face Powder .....80c  
\$1.35 Djer Kiss Toile. Water \$1.00  
50c Djer Kiss Rouge .....80c  
25c Mavis Talc .....10c  
50c Mavis Face Powder .....80c  
60c Pompeian Face Powder .....50c  
60c Pompeian Rouge .....50c  
50c Cocoa Butter Cream .....80c  
\$1.00 Mary Garden Face  
Powder .....70c  
60c Mary Garden Rouge .....50c  
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste .....30c  
50c Pebecco Tooth Paste .....30c  
60c Mulsified Coconut Oil  
Shampoo .....30c  
25c Johnson's Baby Powder .....10c  
\$1.20 Listerine .....80c  
60c Listerine .....45c  
Try Almond Lotion, 3 oz.  
bottle .....25c  
For Chapped Hands and Face,  
leaves the skin like velvet.

XMAS  
GIFTS

BUY NOW!

—Perfumes  
—Ivory Goods  
—Toilettes  
—Candies  
—Manicure Sets  
\$5 and up

AND HUNDREDS OF  
OTHER SUITABLE  
PRESENTS.

SPECIAL SATURDAY  
CUT PRICES

PROPRIETARY MEDICINES  
(Tax Included)

\$1.50 Allen Rau ..... \$1.15  
Bayer's Aspirin .....14c, 25c, \$1.00  
American Aspirin, 1 doz., 10c; 3  
doz., 25c; 100 bottle ..... 60c  
Genuine Castoria .....30c  
\$1.25 Dreco .....05c  
\$1.25 Evans' Triple Phos-  
phates ..... 90c  
50c Drake's Group Syrup ..... 80c  
\$1.25 Nujol .....\$1.00  
\$1.10 Tanlac .....80c  
\$1.10 Vinol .....80c  
\$1.25 Pinkham's Veg. Comp \$1.00  
Listerine .....25c, 40c, 80c  
30c Hill's Cascara Comp. .... 23c  
30c Grove's Laxative Quinine 23c  
75c Rheuma .....60c  
\$1.10 Nuxated Iron .....80c  
Nature's Remedy  
Tablets .....10c, 30c, 70c  
60c Milks' Emulsion .....40c  
\$1.25 Milks' Emulsion .....\$1.00

# THE BETTER STORE

## TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

If the money you were planning to spend for Christmas is running low --- come here to finish your shopping; open a Charge Account without even making an initial payment --simply arrange to pay after the holidays as you receive our income. Use your ready money for the little things you have to buy.

You will be pleased with the large selection of gift articles to be had here -- and your friends will be just as delighted to receive them.

## GIFTS FOR WOMEN

Dresses - - - - -	\$9.95 to \$49.50	Blouses - - - - -	98c to \$5.95
Suits - - - - -	\$14.95 to \$59.95	Robes - - - - -	\$4.95 to \$8.95
Coats - - - - -	\$9.95 to \$69.95	Camisoles - - - - -	98c to \$1.50
Furs - - - - -	\$14.95 to \$24.95	Chemise - - - - -	\$4.95 to \$6.95
Petticoats - - - - -	98c to \$4.95	Pettibockers - - - - -	\$1.98 to \$3.98
Night Gowns - - - - -	\$5.95 to \$12.95		

## GIFTS FOR MEN

Suits - - - - -	\$24.50 to \$49.50	Raincoats - - - - -	\$19.50 to \$24.50
Overcoats - - - - -	\$34.50 to \$49.50	Mackinaws - - - - -	\$6.50 to \$12.50
Hats and Caps - - - - -	\$1.00 to \$5.00		

## SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Buy Her a Coat or  
Suit for Xmas

For ONE DAY ONLY we are having a SPECIAL on all our Ladies' Coats and Suits. Certainly you cannot afford to miss these big savings at this time of the year. REMEMBER THESE BIG SAVINGS ARE ON OUR WHOLE LOT OF BOTH LADIES' COATS AND SUITS.

LADIES'  
COATS

We can save you 40%  
on each and every Ladies'  
Coat in our stock. They  
are priced **\$9.95 UP**  
from ....

LADIES'  
SUITS

We have cut the price of  
our Ladies' Suits just half in  
two. Think of that, to be  
able to buy a Ladies' Suit  
such as we are able to give  
you, from .... **\$14.95 UP**

Buy Now

Pay After Christmas

To Everyone and Everyone's Friend -- "A Merry Christmas"

CREDIT  
WITHOUT  
EXTRA COST

BETTER IN EVERY WAY  
**The BETTER Store**  
206 So. Main St.

CREDIT  
IN A NEW  
WAY

# SERVICE

## HARMAN'S

This is a time when every minute counts -- and we are prepared to give you the quickest of service. Come here and see.

Main Floor

## Victrolas - Edison's - Records

Ladies' Desks, Book Cases, Fancy Chairs, Rockers and Davenport.

Second Floor

China Dinner Sets, Lamps, Bric-a-Brac, Cut Glass and Novel-  
ties, Artificial Flowers

Basement

Pyrex Glassware, Aluminum Ware, Percolators, Royal Roches-  
ter Nickel Ware, Electric Grills and Toasters.

## HARMAN'S

MARKET AND ELIZABETH

## A. B. C. STORE

## 15% Discount

All Big Girls', Misses and  
Children's Shoes

Will Be Sold at a Reduction of  
15 Per Cent for 10 Days

—All our newest and best grades, including "Billikens"  
"Stickles" — "Ferris" and all medium grades—

ALL GUARANTEED FOR GOOD SERVICE



## Men's Shoes

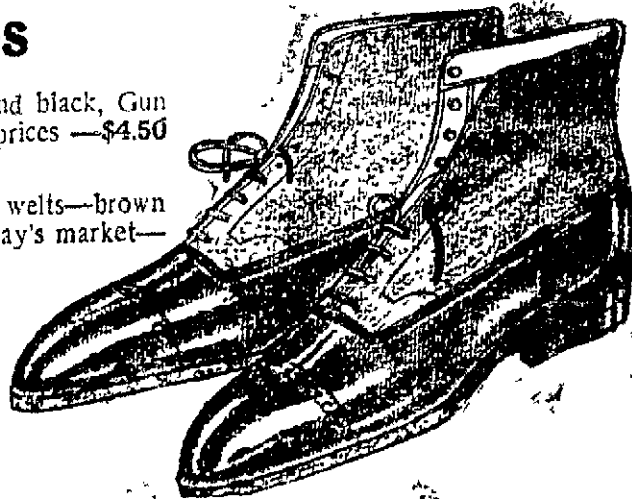
200 pairs of MEN'S SHOES, brown and black, Gun  
Calf, medium and English lasts—Special prices —\$4.50  
and \$5.00—all welts.

200 pairs MEN'S SHOES—"Emerson" welts—brown  
or black, genuine calf—\$10 values on today's market—  
Special price for ten days, \$6.50.

95 pairs Men's BLACK KID SHOES—  
welts—medium—freak and plain toes—  
Present values \$7.50 to \$9.00—Special  
price for 10 days, \$6.50.

All Men's Work Shoes—such as "Lyon  
Brand"—"Weyenberg"—"Endicott-John-  
son"—and "Godman"—20% DISCOUNT  
for 10 days. We sell only GOOD, SER-  
VICEABLE SHOES—Nothing shoddy.

SPECIAL PRICES on many lots of Women's  
Shoes and Low Shoes—\$3.75 to \$6.50— All  
guaranteed for good wear.



"Standard Felt," and Daniel Green's choice  
grades of Felt Slippers, \$2.00, \$2.50 & \$3.00.  
Special prices, Comfy Slippers, \$1.00 and  
\$1.25. Plenty of Men's Slippers.

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In fact, are superior of all.

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## COURT ASKED TO STOP ROAD PAY

Injunction Suit Brought Against State of Ohio

## CONTRACT BREACH CLAIMED

News in Brief Gathered From Buckeye Cities

**COLUMBUS.**—(By Associated Press.)—The state administration is the subject of another injunction suit, instituted in the local courts by W. S. Peeler, Randolph W. Walton and M. E. Threlkeld, the trio that successfully presented an injunction suit against state road contracts.

The new court action is directed against Director of Highways Hervey and from municipal officers to prevent paying any more money to

the Seneca Construction Company on its contract for constructing 2,574 miles of the Tiffin-Republic road east of Tiffin.

It is alleged that specifications were not met in construction, in some cases the concrete base being only 2.9 inches thick, whereas the contract called for a base of five inch thickness. It is alleged that Director Hervey "well knew" that the work was not meeting specifications.

There is \$11,000 still due the Seneca Construction Company on the contract calling for \$123,179. Director Hervey stopped payment some time ago but the petition asserts there is reason to believe that unless injunction names the money will be paid.

**WOMAN'S BODY FOUND.**—CLEVELAND.—Mary Smith, 42, whose body was found cut in two on tracks of the belt line railroad, is believed to have committed suicide.

**FRANK P. BRUCE DEAD.**—CLEVELAND.—Frank P. Bruce, 63, president of the Bruce and West Manufacturing Company, died at his home here.

**STILL BROKEN UP.**—TOLEDO.—Police broke up hundreds of combinations of men and

the copper for junk. Proceeds will go to the police pension fund.

**POLICEMAN KILLED.**—TOLEDO.—Policeman Peter McGuire was shot and killed near an engine house on his beat. The assassin escaped.

**AUTO KILLS GIRL.**—AKRON.—Iva Miller, 13, was killed when she was run down by an automobile while on her way from school.

**ESCAPE FOILED.**—COLUMBUS.—Paul Mason, 24-year penitentiary convict, after being "missing" 24 hours, was found hiding in a large pile of wool in the institution's woolen mill. He had a rope and a hook and said he intended to go over the walls at the first opportunity.

**FIVE MEN INJURED.**—AMHERST.—Five Monroeville men, employed by the Logan Natural Gas Company, were injured when a ten inch gas main burst in the trench in which they were working. All are expected to recover.

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## SUCCESS BROUGHT BY BABIES

Little Ones the Foundation Stone, Says Bernie Babcock

**LITTLE ROCK, Ark.**—(Special.)—What's the foundation stone of success?

"Babies," answers Bernie Babcock. She has five of them. They're responsible, she says, for her "arrival" as a novelist. You know, she's author of "The Soul of Ann Rutledge," "The Coming of the King," and other famous fiction works.

And she thought out the plot of most of her novels with both hands in the dishpan or while walking the floor with a sleepless infant.

At 29 Mrs. Babcock was left a widow with five children — one of them only one year old.

The first year of her widowhood

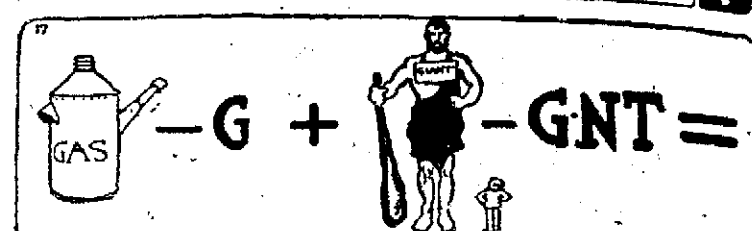
all the children fell ill and Mrs. Babcock was the victim of an accident that forced her to stay in bed. She took up writing. For seven months everything came back. Then her stories began to sell.

Recovering, she cooked, ironed, sewed and kept house — but still found time to write.

Later she secured an editorial position on a daily paper and still later founded a magazine.

Today her children are grown. Her two sons have college educations — all as a result of the mother's writing.

## Geographic Puzzles



YESTERDAY'S ANSWER: RUG - G + KISS - K1 + DIAL - DL = RUSSIA

Special Victor Christmas Records Rowlands

## Heartburn Often Thought to Be Heart Trouble

Heartburn? Heartburn comes from your stomach, of course. So much gas presses upon the walls that your heart is restricted, you are short of breath, you can't do anything without distress. Use Stomach Pep. Correct that condition in the stomach. Make it deliver the goods for the rest of the body. Only 25c. To be had at all druggists, including Thompson's, Baldwin's, Keltner's and Mykrantz.



## Santa Claus Brought Him a Pair of E-J's!

Santa must have forgotten that the others would like good strong durable Endicott-Johnson Shoes too. Real useful presents added to the toys and books and playthings. No other gift will please the kiddies more.

Genuine E-J's are an economical gift for Santa Claus to buy. They wear longer and cost less. Made in special factories by skilled workmen, these famous shoes are built to stand the hard knocks children give their shoes. They are good enough for any child.

For Boys From \$2.00 to \$3.50 according to size  
For Girls From \$2.50 to \$3.50 according to size

**ENDICOTT-JOHNSON SHOES**

At Any Shoe Store

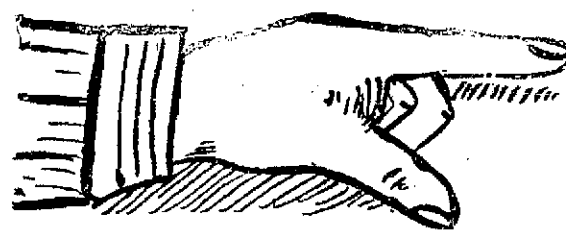
Ask your shoe dealer to give you a copy of the booklet "Tips on American Games." It teaches boys how to play.

## P & Q Clothes

40 Flourishing Clothes Shops

Direct from Maker to Wearer

## JUST 7 DAYS MORE OF THE GREAT P & Q 20 PERCENT DISCOUNT SALE



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P & Q Clothes

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HOME OFFICE 439 FULTON ST. NEW YORK

TO ALL P & Q MANAGERS.

The reports from all our forty stores show that this, the first Sale in our business career, has proven a success far beyond our highest expectation.

Not alone have our customers availed themselves of this opportunity and responded splendidly, but they have recommended lots of their friends, proving that we have not labored in vain to build up a reputation for reliability, and that the people know that our "Say So" is our "Do So."

Our original intention was to end this Sale on December 24th (Christmas Eve), but we feel that each P & Q Shop should have an opportunity to give all its customers time enough to participate in the substantial savings that this Sale offers. Therefore—

The Board of Directors have decided to continue the Sale until Saturday Evening, December 31st, (New Year's Eve), and positively end it on that day.

New shipments of Overcoats and Suits have been forwarded to you to keep your stock fresh and complete.

Yours very truly,  
O. Davidson  
President of the P & Q Shops

SEVEN days more of clothing values that have surprised the most sceptical!

Every garment in the store, without exception or reservation — Suits, Overcoats, Ulsters, Fur-Lined Coats, Gabardines, Pants at 20 per cent off our already "lower-than-others" prices.

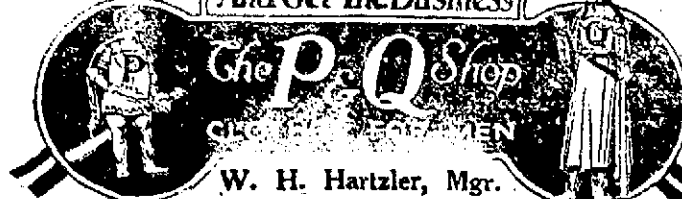
P & Q \$20	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats, less 20 per cent are now	\$16
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$30 — actual saving, \$14	
P & Q \$25	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats less 20 per cent are now	\$20
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$35 — actual saving \$15	
P & Q \$30	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats—less 20 per cent are now	\$24
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$40 — actual saving \$16	
P & Q \$35	Maker-to-Wearer Suits and Overcoats less 20 per cent are now	\$28
	Priced by ordinary retailers \$45 — actual saving \$17	

Don't miss this money-saving chance on hand-tailored, all-wool Clothes, right from our factory

Alterations Free As Usual

34 Public Square Lima

We Give the Values And Get the Business



W. H. Hartzler, Mgr.

No Free Deliveries During This Sale

34 Public Square Lima

## SATURDAY--- LAST DAY TO PURCHASE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

DURING

BASINGER'S REMOVAL JEWELRY SALE

20% to 50%

Savings on everything in the store. Selections are good—Make some one happy with a "Gift That Lasts"—Only one day left.

**BASINGER'S**

"The Gift Store"

145 NORTH MAIN STREET



**BOARD BILL RUNS INTO MILLIONS**  
**EX-Emperor Charles' Expense is Allies' Problem**  
**EXILE OF MONARCH COSTLY**  
**Who Will Pay the Sum is Question Raised**

PARIS—(By Associated Press)—Who is going to pay ex-Emperor Charles' board bill? is the problem the allied governments are trying to solve. So far no country has come forward and offered to pay the bills left behind in Switzerland or the expenses which followed the exile of the former monarch to Madeira. The former king has expensive tastes. This is evidenced by the fact that the Swiss retreat cost nearly 2,000,000 francs a year to keep going. In a hurry to reach his old throne, Charles forgot several substantial obligations. These and the cost of maintaining Charles and his large family at Madeira are occupying the allied ambassador's council. The total Swiss bill will exceed several million Swiss francs apart from the establishment set up at Madeira for the former ruler of Austria-Hungary.

**MAX BE PENSIONED**  
It is believed that the Hungarian government will pay most of the bills and the members of the Little Entente to whose existence the suppression of monarchial adventures is essential, may bear a part of the burden. The annual expense at Madeira probably will be provided thru a pension, wholly or partly paid by Hungary. In this the Little Entente may also have a share. The fact that Charles and his family still have firm friends in Hungary is evidenced by the purchase of a 2,000,000 crown bed and bedroom suite for the ex-queen, by Budapest royalists. The bed was made of satinwood with brocade and gilt decorations. The money was raised by popular subscription. The authorities have refused to permit its display in public fearing royalist riots, so the bed will be sent immediately to Madeira.

**SAVE MONEY BY ATTENDING THE XMAS SALE AT THE PUBLIC DRUG STORE.**  
Use Good Luck Butterine  
Guaranteed the best  
Costs no more than the rest.  
**FOR SALE AT ALL GROCERS.**  
**YOU JUST HEAR THE BRUNSWICK BEFORE YOU BUY A PHONOGRAPH. PLAYS ALL RECORDS BEST, WITHOUT EXTRA ATTACHMENTS. THE MAUS PIANO CO.**  
**FRESH XMAS CANDY.**  
All Kinds—All Prices  
15c to \$1.00 per lb.  
Chas. H. Tord's Candy Shop.  
218-221 East Wayne.  
**BLUE'S ENTIRE STOCK OF FURS AT 20% DISCOUNT.**  
Our quality is high and prices are low, E & R store 433 S. Main.

**Crawford's Bootery**  
138 N. MAIN ST.

Lima's Best  
Christmas  
Slipper Store

**Women's Boudoir Slippers**  
Give her a pair of fine soft kid, boudoir Slippers, made with low leather heel, silk Pom Pom, hand turned soles, in red, brown and black kid. Special, the pair

**\$2.50**

**Quilted Satin Boudoirs**  
**\$3**



Most any girl will appreciate a pair of dainty satin Boudoir slippers to match her dressing gown. Made with low leather heel, finest quality quilted satin, silk Pom Pom, fine leather soles, and can be had in most any color desired. All sizes 2 to 8.

**A Real Gift Slipper**  
For the fastidious woman, or girl we would suggest a pair of dainty Mule Slippers. Easily and quickly to slip on, comfy to wear, very stylish, and can be had in many colors, and priced, at per pair

**\$4**

**Hy-Lo Slippers for Mother**  
This is the style which mother and wife appreciate. Made of high-grade felt, with collar attached, which can be "turned up" around the ankle in cold weather. Extremely comfortable, long wearing, and pleasing to the feet. Made with hand turned leather soles and low heels, or with the famous Daniel Green Comfy Soles, which are noiseless, yet durable. Can be had in most any color. In all sizes and at a price range from \$3.75 to \$3.50.

**\$7**

**Newest Oxfords for Girls**  
The new patent colt oxfords for girls. Made with plain toe, very low broad heels, midget eyelets, full toe. All the style-rage for the girl in her teens. Priced at the pair—

**\$7**

**Danl Green's High-Grade Comfys \$3 a Pair**  
One of the most pleasing gifts that can be used the year 'round is a pair of Daniel Green's finest quality, highest grade Comfys, which they make. Of fine, soft, high-grade felt, noiseless, heavily padded, Comfy soles, dainty satin insert and collar. In the most desirable colors, all sizes 2 to 8, and priced \$3.00 a pair.

**Rose's Pyralin Ivory Sale**  
"Gifts that Last"  
Genuine Ivory Pyralin in sets or single pieces—every piece guaranteed.  
**20 to 50 Per Cent Off**  
**ROSE** 116 West High St.  
Jeweler

R. T. GREGG & CO.

LIMA'S BUSY STORE

R. T. GREGG & CO.

**Saturday We Offer**  
Our Entire Collection of Women's and Misses'

**Coats - Suits - Dresses**  
At the Lowest Price of the Season

Saturday you may choose your Coat, Suit or Dress at absolute January Prices. Every Garment has been re-priced, to exactly the price they will be in January. This is to give belated Christmas shoppers the advantage of selecting Garments tomorrow -- Saturday -- with the positive knowledge that they are receiving final reductions. Prices are reduced 1-4 to 1-2.



**500 Cloth Coats - - \$10 to 89.50**  
Plain tailored or fur trimmed coats in fine cloths in all sizes and every color—formerly priced at \$25 to \$150.  
**200 Plush Coats - - \$15 to 79.50**  
Fine Salts plush in all lengths—fur trimmed or plain—regular and stout sizes—formerly priced \$25 to \$125.00.  
**500 Silk and Wool Dresses \$7.95 to 39.75**  
Clever styles in tricotine, poiret twill, satin, Canto crepe and Jersey—all colors and sizes—formerly \$19.75 to \$89.50.  
**150 Fine Winter Suits - - \$12.50 to \$75**  
Either plain tailored or Fur trimmed—smart styles in fine cloths—regular and stout sizes.

**We Also Offer our Entire Collection of Children's Coats at Reduced Prices**

**Your Unrestricted Choice of Any Blouses In the Store At About Half Price**  
  
A happy time to buy blouses—our entire collection of almost 1000 pretty silk waists and blouses—now priced at a mere fraction of their regular values. See them Saturday. The values will surprise you—  
\$5 and \$6.50 Blouses - - \$3.95  
\$7.50 to \$10 Blouses - - \$6.95  
\$10 to \$15 Blouses - - \$8.95  
Up to \$35 Blouses - - \$12.95

**FURS**  
About half price—and kind of furs you desire—all of the finest selected pelts—Furs of guaranteed quality at saving prices—now is buying time—  
**FUR COATS - ANIMAL SCARFS - STOLES - CHOKERS - CAPES - MUFFS**  
We Have Just Received  
**200 New Umbrellas**  
  
The unusual demand for Umbrellas this Christmas season all but cleared our stocks, however we have just received a shipment of 200 Umbrellas—They come just in time for Christmas selling—smart new styles for both men and women—in all silk—silk and linen, and fine mercerized cotton. The handles and trimmings are new and very clever—in black or colors.  
Priced at  
**\$1.39 to \$15**

**Closing Out Hundreds of PRETTY GIFTS**  
At a Fraction of Their Value  
Certain classes of merchandise bought specially for Christmas selling, together with other goods on which we are overstocked, have been grouped for a great final clearance on Saturday. Hence one may select Saturday from a great variety of gift things at tremendous savings. A few of the items on sale are Purses, Ivory Goods, Narcissus Bulbs, Manicure Sets, Military Brushes, and other items too numerous to mention. Save at Gregg's—Saturday.

**Last Minute Shoppers Will Find Our Stocks Complete Here Are A Few SUGGESTIONS**  
St. Marys Woolen Blankets .....\$9.85 to \$15  
Women's Gloves—Silk, Wool or Kid—all lengths . . .50c to \$7.50  
Men's Hosiery—in Silk, Wool, Cotton or Lisle . . .25c to \$1.50  
Women's Purses—all the season's novelties . . . \$1.95 to \$15.00  
Women's Silk Hosiery—a great variety . . . \$1.00 to \$5.95  
Men's Silk Shirts in Crepe or Broadcloth, special . . . \$7.95  
Wool Middy Blouses for Misses and Women . . . \$4.95 to \$8.75  
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## OPEN LETTERS

To Santa Claus

DEAR SANTA: Others are appealing to you for Christmas gifts. I, too, have some requests to make.

Touch with the spirit of Christmas the hearts of those who are in a turmoil of discontent. Give to them a full measure of peace and good will. Accord them a broader understanding of the things of life.

Lift the burden of hate from the souls of men and women everywhere. Point out to them that the beginning and the end of the Road to Happiness is the ability of the individual to appreciate the things he has.

One man lacks money, but he has the love of a good wife.

Another has worked in vain to make his dreams come true, but still he has the laughter of his children.

Open the eyes of the discontented to these things. Shower the sick with hope. Teach them to close the doors on today's gloom and to open them upon the prospects of tomorrow's sunshine.

Attune the ears of the blind to the songs of the birds.

Give to the deaf keen eyes with which to see the glory of the sunrise and the grandeur of the sunset.

To the lame and the halt give quick minds that can travel fast to the glad places where optimism holds sway.

Why, bless your old heart, Santa, it is because you carry these things in your pack that the load never seems heavy to you.

Out of your abundance, give with a free hand. That is my plea for the boys and girls, old and young, in Lima and everywhere.

A Merry Christmas to you, Santa.

And a Happy New Year!

And eternally both. LIMA BEANE.

To E. N. Zeititz

DEAR SIR: My favorite newspaper informs me that you are about to retire from the active management of the great floral industry you have built up in my city.

While I regret your withdrawal from business life in my community, I know that your interest in the progress of Lima will not cease. May you find continued contentment.

LIMA BEANE.

To Father Time

MY DEAR DAD: As you stand helplessly by, watching stoically the last gasps of the dying year, I share with you the sentiment that, all in all, 1921 succeeded in making indelible history.

Likewise, I unite with you in the hope and faith that 1922 will afford a greater measure of success for all my people, in every walk of life and endeavor.

LIMA BEANE.

To Lima Gym Club

BOYS: I am looking forward with anticipation to the boxing card you announce will be staged at Memorial Hall, December 30.

Boxing fans are looking to you confidently to keep the game a clean one. Do not disappoint them. LIMA BEANE.

To Postmaster Gale

DEAR COLONEL: Please allow me to thank you for the excellent manner in which you have been handling the Christmas rush in the postoffice. Hardly before you had time to get accustomed to the surroundings the heaviest season of the year promised to engulf you, but I have observed and have been informed that things moved smoothly, altho the heaviest business in the history of the office was handled. LIMA BEANE.

To Philanthropists

MY FRIENDS: I am indeed pleased that so many of you, representative of church, social, civic and other organizations, are interested in the commendable task of making glad the hearts of others in the Yuletide season.

Rays of sunshine will, I understand, be provided for many of my kiddies who would not otherwise have access to the real joys of the season. I sincerely thank you. LIMA BEANE.

To Henry Ford

DEAR HANK: It is a source of sincere regret on my part that the Interstate Commerce Commission refuses to permit you to reduce rates on your (and my) D. T. & I. Railroad.

In these days of shrinking things I feel that railroad rates ought to be included. It is unusual to note an instance where reducing rates is opposed by a government agency. I hope you'll eventually win out in your desire. LIMA BEANE.

To City Firemen

DEAR BOYS: I regret that exigencies of the season require your presence on duty on Christmas day, ready to combat the fire fiend should it appear to mar the joys of Yuletide spirit.

After all, the greatest joy one can extract from life lies in the performance of duty or a service rendered in behalf of others. LIMA BEANE.

To Central High B. B. Team

DEAR BOYS: I am banking strongly on your ability to bring home the bacon from Dayton, when you stack up against Stivers High basketball team tonight.

You are to be commended for seeking contests with such strong teams and I have confidence that you will sustain the fine reputation of the athletic department of your school for clever, clean and effective playing. I'm strong for you. LIMA BEANE.

To Fashion Masters

MY FRIENDS: My heart goes out to you in your strenuous task of meeting the exacting requirements of my men and women in the matter of styles during the year now coming to a close.

It's probably useless to hope for such a desirable state, but I trust the demands made upon you during the coming year will slow up, to the end that an article of apparel will not go out of style before its owner is afforded the opportunity to wear it at least a few times. LIMA BEANE.

To My Citizens

MY FRIENDS: Words are but perfunctory things, but in this instance they well up from the very bottom of the heart, as personal and sincere:

I wish for all of you the joys of the season in full measure—a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. LIMA BEANE.

## AS YOU LIKE IT

France is talking about a "theoretical third place navy." Perhaps it is something like that army of 1,000,000 "sprinzers" W. J. Bryan used to have.

It might be observed that while one department of the administration cabinet is working to bring about the millennium, another is preparing for the next war.

"I killed Dr. Guckstein," says Mrs. Raizen. "For eight years I could not keep the doctor away." She should have tried an apple a day.

Kitchenettes make mealtimes.

Down in the southland they call moonshine whisky "blockade liquor," doubtless to emphasize its fortifying qualities.

After removing some of her ships from the sea, Japan might do well by removing the chip from her shoulder.

It is reported that Big Bill Haywood is anxious to return home from Russia. So is Emma—and that makes two of 'em, at least.

Wonder what has become of the old fashioned man who used to find it necessary to "step over to Tony's place" about 10 every forenoon?

The old-time politicians have always been sticklers for conventions.

Rev. Rutledge says he believes men convicted in Ohio should be kept in the Ohio penitentiary. How on earth did Harry Davis happen to pick him for a job?

It is not I, a who offered or on the 1921 prize for taking the most pictures of Harding

You must sing a song of expense to get a bottle full of rye.

At least one person who has interviewed Lenine asserts he has a keen sense of humor. It's mighty hard to believe.

If "first impressions are the most lasting," the official opening of winter is the forerunner of a persistent cold spell.

## POEMS YOU WILL ENJOY

By BERTON BRALL  
A PREFERENCE

I don't care for Pollyanna, she's a silly little kid  
With her idiotic "glad game" and her everlasting smile.

There are many ugly evils in this world we live amid  
And a man's a fool to bear them in the Pollyanna style;

Yet it I must choose between her and the tribe of "What's-the-use?"  
It's either Pollyanna or the quitters who declare—

That the world is wholly hopeless, gone completely to the deuce—  
Well, young Pollyanna's better than those prophets of despair.

Pollyanna's honied "gladness" that the bad things are not worse  
Makes me want to chew the table and to bite the kitchen sink,  
I believe in fighting strongly with the wrongs at which we curse—  
And the chirping Pollyanna dives

me pretty near to drink;  
Yet her pabulum of gladness doesn't move my soul to scorn  
Quite as much as does the manner of the Moaning Lodge of Gloom,  
With its members who are cursing at the day that they were born  
I prefer Miss Pollyanna to the Avengers of Doom!

Pollyanna's optimism is a fatuous extreme.  
It's a bar to any progress, it's a cloak on all advance,  
It regards our clumsy blunders as a highly perfect scheme,  
Its conservatism smirking with a phlegmatic countenance;  
It is false and it is specious, it's a lot of utter rot  
But at least it isn't "rhinoceros" and it doesn't crab the show,  
So the Pollyanna's sweetness makes my temper go to pot  
It is better than the meanings of Protectors of Woe!

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## YOU AND I : COMMENT ON TOPICS OF INTEREST TO ALL

### LOVE

David Belasco, at a dinner celebrating his 40th year as a theatrical producer, says, with the mellowness of age:

"In all these years it stands to reason that I must have learned something, and it is this—it took years to learn it, and it takes but a moment to say it: Love is the only thing that matters, the one thing that counts. It is the only thing that tells in the long run. Nothing else endures to the end."

Love is more than a sentiment. It is the basis of endeavor, the generator of current that keeps us battling upward.

Man guards closely his money wealth. Often he is careless of that greatest treasure, love. Like the orchid, it is delicate, fragile, easily destroyed.

Are you doing your utmost to preserve and intensify the love that is directing your life?

### NEGROES

One in every 10 Americans is a negro. That's shown by the census, which found 10,381,399 negroes in the whole country.

Between 1910 and 1920, the net increase of negroes in northern and western states, by immigration from the south, was only 400,000.

This exploded the notion that there was a gigantic, permanent influx.

gration of negroes to northern munitions factories during the war. Many moved north, but they were few compared with those who stayed south. That's usually the way. See 10 sparrows dead in front of your home and you jump to the conclusion that sparrows are becoming extinct.

### TRAFFIC

Motor fire wagons have displaced Lucy and Nora, the last two horses of the famous London Fire Brigade.

English newspapers recall that it is only a few years since mechanical vehicles were held down to a speed of four miles an hour, by English law. And a man waving a red flag or lantern had to walk along in front.

Another time, London tried to end shortage of cabs by an ordinance requiring that one cab must always be at each starting-stand. Result: the one cab anchored permanently, could not be hired.

Probably we are just as stupid now, in other ways.

### NOISE

Every organ of your body develops resisting powers as you need them. A miller gets so used to the sound of his mill wheels that he ceases to hear them and can catch a whisper.

Put 50 identical machines in a

room. Workers forget the noise. But, if one machine stops, the operator knows it instantly by the changed sound.

This power of the ears, to adjust themselves to environment, makes city life possible. Metropolitans live in an inferno of noise. The ears ignore it, in a large sense, tho the noise is there, tearing away at the nervous system.

### WORKERS

Akron rubber factories in 1919 turned out \$3120 worth of rubber products for each worker employed by them. This rose to \$4500 in 1920 and \$6890 in 1921.

Rubber prices have fallen heavily. Make allowance for these lower prices, and the increased productivity of the average rubber worker is much higher now than the money figures show.

The worker, as a class, is producing at top-speed. That will hasten return of prosperity, for prosperity is merely the circulation of commodities produced. The more produced, the more there is to be divided among consumers.

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We know that this disease can be prevented. The great work of the national and local anti-tuberculosis societies, which are even now waging a battle with the little Christ and seals as their weapons, has taught us that the disease can be arrested and in many cases cured by fresh air, cleanliness, rest, whole some food and a determination to get well.

We know that the germ is present in millions in the spit of a consumptive and that it is through this spit almost alone that the germ reaches others. We know that if we could collect and destroy all the spit of such patients and make them cover their mouths when they cough we could almost wipe out the disease.

Although the disease is no respecter of persons, attacking rich and poor alike, it is found that more poor people have the disease than others. This is because the wealthy are better able to protect themselves against it, better able to undergo rest and other essentials of the treatment which is now the only remedy.

Knowing that prevention will do a great deal more good than costly attempts at cures we should all make every effort to stop careless spitting and coughing.

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# SHUNS MARRIAGE, GAINS MILLION

Miss Lydia B. Gibson Chooses Career Instead of Mate

QUITS LOVE FOR WEALTH

Supremely Happy, Says Proprietor of 15 Hotels

(BY ROY GIBBONS)  
CHICAGO — Which shall a woman choose—a career or marriage? Miss Lydia Belle Gibson faced that question 12 years ago and chose a career. Today she's worth over \$1,000,000 and is the proprietor of 15 hotels here. Could she have gained the same fortune had she been married? Miss Gibson says no! "I don't think I dislike men," Miss Gibson says. "I don't. In fact I admire them very much and probably would like to be married as much as any single woman."

"But matrimony, so I have always thought, robs a woman of her individuality and submerges her ambitions. I am far happier in this world of mine, which is a world of service to the world, than I could ever hope to be as merely the lifelong partner of some man—known legally as his wife. "Probably the outsider who hears all this will believe that I have been spoiled on love—that I have been spoiled."

"Not so. I have loved and been loved. But I abandoned love for a career because I thought that in a career lay my greater happiness. "I am supremely happy. Happiest is my religion. And because in my career I believe the greatest good lies for me. I have chosen my career and am wedded to it. I shall never marry."

Miss Gibson is 48. Her hair is snow white. She is called "mother" by all who know her. HER EARLY ROMANCE Twelve years ago she was teaching school in Pittsburgh. That was when the inspiration dawned upon her to get into business for herself. After buying her railroad ticket to Chicago—a city she picked out at random—she had but \$5.

With that she procured an opportunity to buy at option the site of a tiny rooming house. She made good at that venture and then struck out for higher goals. Today she owns and operates 15 hotels and is contemplating erection of another \$1,000,000 establishment. Miss Gibson employs only married women at her hotels and makes them live on the premises with their husbands.

"Because marriage is a great stabilizer," she says. As to the sweetheart of her teaching days, Miss Gibson remains silent. "He was a nice boy," she says. "We talked the matter over coolly and rationally. Marry him? Oh, my, no! He was wed to a sweet little girl last summer. It made me quite happy, too!"

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# WHY MARRIAGE KILLS CAREERS

(BY LYDIA GIBSON)

A woman who seeks a career should not marry. Because marriage destroys feminine sagacity. Because a woman in search of a career can make greater gain, more money, and better headway if not lashed to the limitations of her husband's own greatness.

Because marriage causes a woman to lose faith in her own ability after watching her husband perform all the necessary tasks attendant upon keeping the home together. Because in a career lies more permanent satisfaction than in marriage.

Because marriage disintegrates the feminine mind by making it a leaning instead of an independent guidance. Because a woman of intelligence sacrifices too much in marriage.

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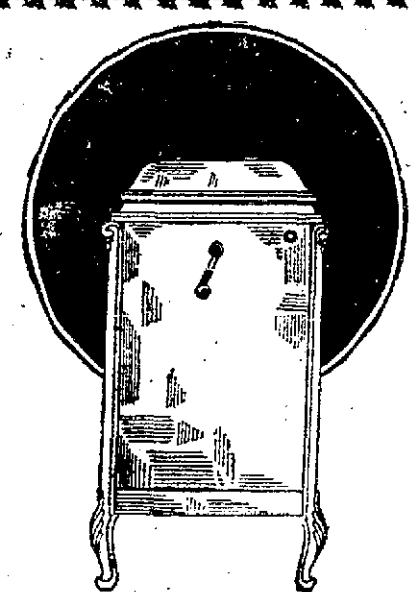
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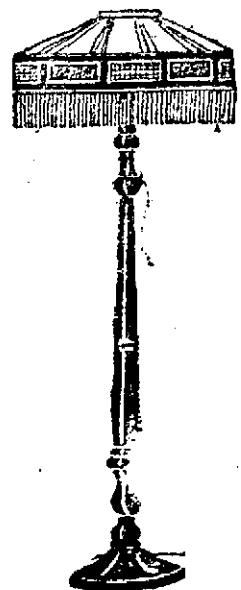
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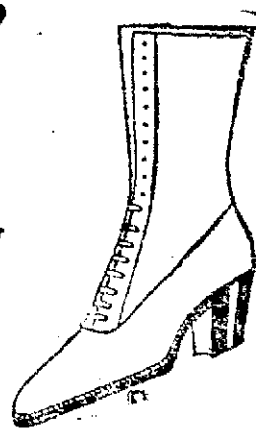


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By HARRY HUNT  
WASHINGTON (Special)—An annual net saving of \$510,000,000 in the cost of power for railroads, public utilities and industrial plants in the Atlantic coast industrial zone can be accomplished by the efficient coordination of power sources in that district into a River of Power.  
Such is the finding of a board of expert power engineers which, working under the direction of the United States Geological Survey, has made a detailed study of the advantages and savings that might result from the development of a super-power system to serve this section.  
These savings would be divided as follows:  
Electric utilities ..... \$239,000,000  
Manufacturing industries, ..... 190,000,000  
Railroad ..... 81,000,000  
Such a system, W. S. Murray, consulting engineer in charge of the investigation, points out, also would take from the over-congested railroads in this district a great volume of bulky coal traffic and would conserve the rapidly disappearing cheap fuel of the Appalachian coal fields.  
ANNUAL SAVING  
The annual coal saving under the super-power system is estimated at 49,384,000 tons, as follows:  
Electric utilities 19,140,000 tons  
Heavy traction railroads 10,210,000 tons  
Manufacturing industries 20,625,000 tons  
The system calls simply for the conversion of coal into electric power at plants located close to the sources of cheap coal supply and the development of hydro-electric power plants at points where dependable waterpower is available.  
The power thus produced would be fed into the principal load centers and distributed from there to the individual plants requiring power.  
A main transmission line, or power belt, extending from Washington to New Haven, Conn., would receive power from producing stations and pass it along to the main consuming centers.  
In the region which would be served by this system there are now 753 electric utility plants. Their average capacity is 7900 kilowatts.  
Under the super-power system the number of stations needed to supply the entire zone by 1930 would be only 273.  
STeam PLANTS  
The capacity of base-load steam plants, located at sources of coal supply, would range from 60,000 to

300,000 kilowatts. No generator would be installed with a capacity of less than 30,000.  
The total investment in generating and transmission facilities for the system is put at \$1,109,561,000.  
Of this sum \$416,346,000 represents value of existing facilities that would be incorporated in the new system, leaving \$693,215,000 as the additional amount to be spent.  
FACTORIES SERVED  
Within the proposed power zone are 36,000 manufacturing establishments.  
It would cost these plants \$185,000,000 to provide motor equipment sufficient to carry on all their processes by electric power. But at the estimated power rate, these concerns would save in power cost yearly \$190,000,000 above the fixed charges on this motor investment.  
The combined capital investment for the electric utilities and the industries using the power, by 1930, would amount to \$1,294,564,000. The annual yield or saving resulting from this expenditure would be \$429,000,000 above fixed charges, or 33 per cent on the investment.  
ELECTRIC RAILROADS  
Also, within this zone are 36,000 miles of railroad track. Of this about 19,000 can be profitably electrified, so as to yield an annual saving of \$81,000,000 as compared with cost of operation by steam. The capital necessary for this elec-

trification of railways would be \$570,000,000, on which the savings would return 14.2 per cent.  
Potential hydro-electric power that could easily be made available in such a system is to be found on the Potomac river, at Great Falls, near Washington, on the Susquehanna river, on the Hudson, Delaware, Rarquette, Black and Connecticut rivers. Later, additional power, if desired, could be brought in from the St. Lawrence, the Niagara river and the rivers of Maine.  
The possibilities of expansion, of course, are infinite.

WOMAN AND TWO MEN HELD IN SWINDLE CASE

CLEVELAND—Weeks of search by police detectives for a gang of clever swindlers who have victimized prominent brokers of \$5,000 in Cleveland and other cities resulted today in the arrest of a well-dressed woman and two men in a local hotel.  
The arrests, said the swindlers' financial men to sell stocks on a commission basis.  
Then the men would present a certified check representing the amount of the stock sale and demand their commission from financial man in each case the certified check was worthless. In the woman's room were found rubber stamps and other paraphernalia for making the checks. She was said to have acted as stenographer for the men.

BRASS THEFT CHARGED TO TRIO OF YOUTHS

Three youths, charged with stealing batteries from the Lima Locomotive company, arrested late Thursday by Special Deputy Cole, of the L. E. & W. Railroad will be arraigned Friday afternoon before Justice of the Peace E. M. Botkin.  
The boys had three wagon loads of batteries, Colt reports. He arrested them on the railroad right of way.  
The eldest of the trio is U. S. A. Foote, 21, S. Main-st. The others are Asa Cunningham, 433 First-st and Mac Gier, 274 S. Pine-st. Both are 19.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS KILLING OF POLICEMAN

TOLEDO—Police today are unable to find a motive for the killing of Charles W. (Pete) McGuire, 24, motorcycle policeman, who was shot to death by two unidentified negroes as he emerged from an engine house after making a report last night.  
Two men followed the policeman into the fire station and reported there were two suspicious looking negroes in the street. As McGuire opened the door he was met by a volley of shots and fell mortally wounded. He emptied his revolver at the fleeing negroes while lying on pavement. Both escaped. Several persons witnessed the shooting but are unable to give an accurate description of the men on account of the darkness.  
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2 cans Kidney Beans ..... 25c 6 lbs. Cracked Hominy ..... 25c  
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2 lbs. Prunes ..... 25c 5 boxes Washing Powder ..... 25c  
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50 POUND CAN LARD ..... \$4.60  
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ALL BEEF STEAK, LB. .... 22c  
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1 can O'l Sardines ..... 5c Blue Ribbon ..... 90c  
3 cans Tomato Soup ..... 25c Pride of Lima ..... 90c  
3 cans Oats (crushed) ..... 25c Silver Star ..... 90c  
2 pkgs. Corn Flakes ..... 25c MEATS  
2 pkgs. Post Toasties ..... 35c 10 lb. Steak ..... 23c  
1 pkg. Shredded Wheat ..... 15c Round Steak ..... 23c  
2 pkgs. Cream of Wheat ..... 55c Chuck Steak ..... 18c  
1 lb. Old Reliable Coffee ..... 30c Rib Boil ..... 10c  
1 lb. Farm House Coffee ..... 25c Rib Roast ..... 16c  
1 lb. Hillside Special Coffee ..... 25c Chuck Roast ..... 12 1/2c  
1 lb. Silver Set Coffee ..... 35c Arm Roast ..... 12 1/2c  
5 lbs. Navy Beans ..... 30c Fresh Callies ..... 12 1/2c  
3 lbs. Rice ..... 25c Bacon, half or whole ..... 20c  
3 rolls Toilet Paper ..... 25c Hams, 12 or whole ..... 20c  
6 rolls Toilet Paper ..... 25c 3 lb. pail of Lard ..... 30c  
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Karo Syrup, 5 lbs., dark ..... 28c Cocoa, 2 lbs. .... 25c  
Karo Syrup, 5 lbs., white 33c Beans, 10 lbs. .... 65c  
Potatoes, peck ..... 35c Salmon, 2 cans ..... 25c  
Corn, 2 cans ..... 25c Milk, can ..... 10c  
Tomatoes, 2 cans ..... 25c Cherries, gallon can ..... \$1.60  
Peas, 2 cans ..... 25c Peaches, gallon can ..... 75c  
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## THIS WOMAN LEADS 2000 GIRLS TO BETTER LIVES EVERY YEAR

"Colonel" Spurns Social Joys  
to Aid Needy

By RUTH ABELING

NEW YORK — "Because," she laughs, "I was a girl once, you know, with a lot of pride and a liking for dancing and social life!"

This, if you ask her, is why Colonel Margaret Bovill says accounts for her gift of being a friend to woman who seem to be friendless.

Colonel Bovill, head of the social department of the Salvation Army in New York, is the only woman in the United States with the full rank of colonel. And she's probably the only woman who has, within one year, been the deciding factor in the lives of more than 2000 women and girls who have "come back."

That's an average year's work for Colonel Bovill.

"As I see it," says Colonel Bovill, "the greatest need of today is an open door for girls who are in need, but have no desire to become unfortunates."

"We need houses with motherly hostesses where girls can have right surroundings."

"You know," continued the colonel, "I have a lot of faith in women. I believe that practically the only cause for the failure of girls in the beginning is poverty and the pressure of responsibility."

"They're proud little things, they



Colonel Margaret Bovill

like to look nice and have nice surroundings — don't I know, can't I remember myself?"

Colonel Bovill joined the army in England when she was 17.

## LETTERS TO LOVERS

By WINONA WILCOX

There's no laying the ghost of a certain distressing modern problem.

"My employer is a happy married man. He is extremely proud of his two small sons. Nevertheless, he makes love to me, altho he wouldn't perhaps if I didn't permit it."

"I can't say that I am exactly in love with him."

"I suppose I deserve a good reprimand but instead of giving it to me, I do wish you would tell me what can be the object of the man who makes love to a girl like me when he is also devoted to his wife?"

Perhaps it is for the same reason that you listen to him with pleasure while you know in your heart that you are a trespasser, while you admit that you do not love him. He probably gets out of it about what you do.

You flatter each other, you deceive each other, or think you do. Romantic of this kind are emotional explosions.

The man swears his fidelity to his little wife, puts on his hat, goes down town, and swears to the girl that she is the only woman he ever loved. Many an office girl knows the lingo by heart.

Now of course, a man of that kind does not love either the wife or the girl, but he loves himself extremely.

Can't you, the writer of the above, look into the future a few years? What do you see?

The wife will continue to have all that you have ever had and a good deal more. She will continue to receive the familiar protestations of something the man calls love and she will continue to have everything else a husband has to offer, the home, his support, influence and social position.

Who is losing? You—the girl in the case.

In a few years, the man will be so tired of you he will long for a fresh young mind to wonder at his wisdom. He will crave the admiration of a girl who has not discovered any of his weaknesses. And then, he will hire a new assistant.

He can not dispose of a wife so easily. This is one of her advantages, the particular one which makes her "hors concours" or not competing.

And what will be left to the girl from her romance?

The satisfaction of having shared for a man who wasn't over grateful? The knowledge that her infatuation has deprived her of the friendship of some eligible suitor.

Ideal love is a wonderful thing. Unrequited love for a wonderful man may be worth the price of spinsterhood but the love which a man divides between his wife and another woman is sentimental bunk and not worth the price of junk.

## AN EXQUISITE EVENING FROCK



NEW YORK.—An exquisite frock for evening is this Claire design of silver cloth and royal blue Salome velvet, with silver grapes suspended from its graceful waistline.

The velvet of the bodice is held in miraculously soft lines by a Rhine stone chain which ventures far down the back and hangs in looped glittering lengths.

The full top skirt is held a little

away from the hips, giving to the gorgeously toned thing a charming bouffant touch. A lining of silver cloth is a shimmering vision against the blue as the wearer moves.

With clever artistry Claire gives to the ensemble its finishing touch—a bunch of silver-insided grapes held in the crisply curled coil by a half concealed bandeau.

The frock is, of course, designed for a girlish figure.

## SUSIE SMART SAYS

Dear Miss Smart: I am an engaged girl. My fiancé has a man friend whom I deeply dislike. He is a rough kind of a person and is not the equal of my husband-to-be. I have asked him time and time again to give him up. He only laughs at me and says this man is really very nice. I have become exasperated. We quarrel all the time about it. I don't know what I can do or what I can say to make him give him up. Don't you think that he should be willing to do as I ask if he loves me? And don't you think he is unreasonable?

AND don't you think that perhaps you are a little exacting too, "Peggie"? If you really love your fiancé, I do not think you would be continually quarrelling because one of his friends does not happen to meet your approval. It is only natural that he should resent your interference in urging him to drop one of his friends.

You must remember that friendship is a big and fine thing and that it should not be regarded lightly. The intimacy of friendship in your fiancé has no doubt had the opportunity of really learning to know this man. Perhaps he has recognized the good points in him and, instead of magnifying the bad in him as you have, has minimized it.

Do not risk the happiness of yourself and your fiancé by quarrelling over this matter. Try to see the good in him as your fiancé does and probably some day you will be glad to number him among your friends.

Dear Miss Smart: Please tell me where I could go or write to be a chorus girl? Does one need a high school education?

Yes, "Freckles," a high school education is usually required before judging from your writing. Punctuation. I think you need to so badly that all the gits of ever going on the stage should be abandoned until you further improve your education by making the most of the facilities which are offered you.

Dear Miss Smart: I am a young girl 17 years old and want to be a chorus girl. I am married. About a month ago we fell out. He wants to come back. Do you think I should? I have been with other boys since we fell out. I do not seem to think as much of them as I did him. I love him dearly.

HEARTEROCKER SAYS

Your letter is rather vague, Mary. I do not understand clearly whether you mean the man is divorced or whether he is simply separated from his wife and has not as yet secured a divorce. In the latter case you know it would be out of the question for you to receive his attention. Even tho he may be divorced, I do not think it proper for a girl of your age to go with him. He doubtless is much older than you. It would be far wiser for you to go with boys nearer your own age, preferably those who have not previously ventured into matrimony.

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That girl is Priscilla Dean and she said just after completing her latest triumphs, "Conflict," that she wouldn't do it again for a million. "Life is too precious," she said.

In all his long career in literature Edgar Allan Poe never conceived of so wild, so weird or so amazing a story as this, Stuart Paton's masterpiece of the great North woods.

That it could be put so vividly on the screen is the wonder of the picture age. You see a volcano in action; you see what an earthquake actually does; you see lions galloping roaring in the jungle and you see two locomotives crash together.

But the great log jam—the river scene—is the real thriller of the picture. You could not afford to miss this wonderful panorama at all. How Miss Dean participated in this adventure and got out alive will keep you guessing.

This picture is spoken of as a sequel to "Way Down East," and many after seeing the wonder of it, say it is even superior to that production.

Remember, "Conflict," starts Sunday at the Lyric for five days. Under no circumstances miss it. It's the production really worth while.

## MRS. E. J. ROBERTS' HOME OPENED TO ALGONQUIN CLUB

MRS. ELMER J. ROBERTS, N. Jameson-av, extended the hospitality of her home to the members of the Algonquin club, Thursday afternoon. Christmas decorations were arranged in artistic effect throughout the rooms.

Euchre was the diversion of the afternoon and at the conclusion of the playing, with Mrs. George Rhodes holding high score and Mrs. E. J. Maag second honors, the hostess served a dainty luncheon. A Christmas tree and grab bag were interesting features of the afternoon. Mrs. Russell Calkins was the only guest.

Members of the club include Mrs. Rolla Wildoner, Mrs. Ernest De Voe, Mrs. T. C. Campbell, Mrs. Frank Meyer, Mrs. Harry Hildreth, Mrs. George Rhodes, Mrs. E. C. Yingling, Mrs. E. J. Maag, Mrs. H. B. Allman, Mrs. Will Herring, Mrs. Oliver Sullivan and Mrs. E. Roberts.

Next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Frank Meyer, of N. Main-st.

Members of the cast of the opera "Make It For Two" presented at the Faurot Opera House, Thursday evening by the University of Michigan Union. Quora, was honored Thursday afternoon when the University of Michigan Alumni of Allen-co, entertained with a tea-dance at the Lima club from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock. Ralph Mackenzie was chairman and Gilbert Schafer, secretary of the committee on arrangements.

Michigan banners and pennants prevailed throughout the club and the ball room was artistically decorated with appointments in keeping with the holiday season. Bells, whistles, greenery and holly wreaths were effectively used and the lights were shaded with red.

The patronesses for the occasion received the guests and acted as hostesses throughout the afternoon. Patronesses included Mrs. William Mackenzie, Mrs. A. E. Schafer, Mrs. I. S. Motter, Mrs. James W. Haldhill, Mrs. Sam Weinhold, Mrs. Fred Seymour, Mrs. Alan Knisely, Mrs. E. G. Wendock, Mrs. S. A. Armstrong, Mrs. Oliver Steiner, Mrs. D. F. Veltz, Mrs. D. J. Cane, Mrs. W. B. Kirk, Mrs. Holmes Mackenzie, Mrs. E. M. Gooding, Mrs. James Cory, Mrs. L. B. Martin, Mrs. O. O. Barr, Mrs. B. Hanley Holmes, Mrs. Paul T. Landis, Mrs. Harry Workman, Mrs. W. L. Parmenter, Mrs. George Quail, Mrs. James J. Wendock, Mrs. Ralph W. Austin, Mrs. Kent W. Hughes, Mrs. Fred E. Gooding, Mrs. Virgil Knisely, Mrs. C. C. Mosher, Mrs. D. L. Goodgear, Mrs. Earl Ludwig, Mrs. E. M. Bolkin, Mrs. Clarence Klinger, Mrs. Paul Stueber, Mrs. M. L. Becker, Miss Catherine Wendock and Mrs. Harold Cunningham.

The general committee of the afternoon included Mrs. Harley Holmes, chairman; Mrs. Clarence Klinger, Mrs. Harry Workman and Mrs. Paul Landis.

In the evening following the performance a dance at the Elk's Home was arranged by the alumni. Appointments significant of the Yuletide season were arranged in artistic profusion here. The evening of dancing brought to a happy close a delightful day in Lima's society.

Miss Helen Neuman, a member of the faculty at East Liverpool will arrive in this city Friday evening to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Neuman of W. Elm-st.

Mrs. W. B. Bentley, of Bluffton is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Killen, of State-st.

Members of the Sunday school class of the Grace M. E. church were entertained with a Christmas party at the home of Miss Margaret Furry, Michael-av, Wednesday evening. Decorations in keeping with the occasion prevailed throughout the rooms. Music and games were the diversions and at a late hour a lunch was served by the hostess.

A cantata, "The Holy Infant," by Bullard, will be given at the Calvary Reformed church Sunday at 4 p. m. by the members of the choir. Soloists for the occasion will be Miss Violet Lewis, Mrs. John Urfer and R. R. Mikesell.

Walter Anderson, a student at Ohio State University, is visiting with friends in this city for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Workman, of S. Cole-st, will leave Saturday for Chicago, where they will spend Christmas with Mr. Workman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Workman, Sr.

The teachers at the Washington school enjoyed a Christmas party at the school Thursday. A grab bag was the interesting feature and a delicious luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Taylor and family, of W. Spring-st, will entertain as their house-guests over Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bartelle and daughter, Miss Jean and son, Fred, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Moke and son, John will spend Christmas with Mrs. Moke's brother, S. S. Jackson, of Akron.

Mrs. Ida K. McDonald, Will McDonald and two children, of Pittsburgh arrived in this city Friday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McDonald, of W. Spring-st.

Miss Mae Galvin, of Chicago, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Galvin, of W. Market-st.

Miss Jane Taylor, of Toledo, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Jane Bentley, of Lakewood-ave.

Miss Fawn Parent, a student at Bellevue Hospital, N. Y., is enjoying the Christmas holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Parent, of W. Market-st.

Dr. G. F. Guler, of Pittsburg will arrive in this city Sunday for a week's visit at the H. G. Sharpley home, W. Market-st.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bernhard, of the St. Elmas-apts, entertained the employees of the Bernhard Paper Favor company with a six o'clock dinner at their home. The table was resplendent with various Christmas suggestions, the color scheme of red and green being carried out in the appointments.

The following employees were present to enjoy the affair: Misses Geneva Schott, Pauline Moffitt, Ida Salisbury, Ruth Shaw, Helen Lytle, Mary Harraff, Zara McComb, Wilbur Walter and J. Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dhom were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks, (Neil Bigley) of Chicago, will arrive in this city Friday evening to enjoy the holidays with Mrs. Sparks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rush O. Bigley, of W. Market-st. All will spend Christmas Day with Mr. Sparks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. French Sparks, of Bellefontaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles East of W. High-st, will entertain as their house-guests over Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. J. George Gerald and Mrs. Louise White, all of Toledo.

Those enjoying the affair included Misses Esther Killoran, Mable Stants, Ruth Elliott, Alice Stockton, Alice Tudor, Naomi Parker, Sam Hanna, Catherine Bowers, Muriel Sargent, Edith Fetter, Margaret Ridgeman and Ruth Metzger, a student at Miami College.

Mr. Malone, a student at Wooster College, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Malone, of Lincoln-ave, over the holidays.

Lockwood Williams arrived home from Urbana, Ill., where he is a student at the University of Illinois, to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Williams, of Lakewood-ave.

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The following employees were present to enjoy the affair: Misses Geneva Schott, Pauline Moffitt, Ida Salisbury, Ruth Shaw, Helen Lytle, Mary Harraff, Zara McComb, Wilbur Walter and J. Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dhom were also guests.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sparks, (Neil Bigley) of Chicago, will arrive in this city Friday evening to enjoy the holidays with Mrs. Sparks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rush O. Bigley, of W. Market-st. All will spend Christmas Day with Mr. Sparks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. French Sparks, of Bellefontaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles East of W. High-st, will entertain as their house-guests over Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. J. George Gerald and Mrs. Louise White, all of Toledo.

Those enjoying the affair included Misses Esther Killoran, Mable Stants, Ruth Elliott, Alice Stockton, Alice Tudor, Naomi Parker, Sam Hanna, Catherine Bowers, Muriel Sargent, Edith Fetter, Margaret Ridgeman and Ruth Metzger, a student at Miami College.

Mr. Malone, a student at Wooster College, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Malone, of Lincoln-ave, over the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. Epstein, of N. Metcalf-st, are entertaining as their house guests Mrs. Epstein's niece, Miss Naomi Raphael of Evansville, Ind., and A. Friedman, also of Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren P. Melly, of Detroit, are enjoying the Christmas holidays with Mrs. George H. Melly of W. Spring-st.

Raymond Fontaine will arrive from Columbus Saturday, to be an over-Christmas guest of this party, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fontaine, of 1057 Alder-av.

Raymond Kahle, a student at Ohio Wesleyan University is visiting with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Kahle, of S. Cole-st, over the holidays.

Padora Epstein, a student at Rush Medical college, Chicago, arrives home Friday to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Epstein, of N. Metcalf-st, over the holidays.

Miss Pauline CaJacob, of N. Baxter-st, will arrive in this city Saturday from an extended stay with relatives and friends in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bernstein of Pittsburg, are the guests of Mrs. Bernstein's mother, Mrs. M. Schulze, of the Majestic-apts.

Misses Louise Blankenship and Ciella Colbert, of W. Market-st, visited friends in Bellefontaine, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Russell, of W. Market-st, are home from a three week's stay in New York.

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# MISTER 44

BY E. J. RATH

"It's that point or nothing," he muttered to himself. "There's land there!" he cried, pointing. "But we've got to swim."

"You swim," said Sadie in a tired voice.

"Both of us?" he said sharply. He gazed at her toward him across the canoe, which sank momentarily under her weight.

"I'm a bum swimmer!" she gasped. "You go ahead. You'll make it all right."

"You'll come with me!" he shouted. "Understand?"

"I'll try," she whispered. "But it ain't a square deal for you, No."

He hooked one hand firmly under her arm, and struck out toward the nearest point. There were minutes when Stoddard was convinced that they would never make it. The slowness of their progress was agony. His numb arm bothered him and the waves that constantly washed over them made it difficult to breathe. His heart was pounding furiously and his lungs felt as if they were about to burst. But his fingers clung to a grip as a wave threw them heavily against the shore. For several minutes he clung there, gasping. Then painfully he began to lift his burden out upon the rocks. She was limp in his grasp, yet he succeeded, and climbed slowly up beside her. Lifting her, he staggered forward, mounting the short rise until his feet touched soil. Then he fell heavily, clinging to his burden. When he struggled to his knees he seized her hands and began chafing and slapping them.

"Sadie!" he called, bending over her. "We're all right, Sadie! We're ashore!"

"Thanks, No. 44," she whispered.

Several minutes later Sadie sat up. "Feeling better?" asked Stoddard. "Lots. I sort of caved in, didn't I?"

"You stood more of it than I beat any woman could," he answered quickly. "And a lot of men, for that matter. Let's get out of this wind, if you can walk a little." Stoddard reached a hand to her as she struggled to her feet. "Let's get into the lee of the woods," he said.

A few minutes of tedious travel brought them to a spot near the shore where there was an opening among the trees.

"By and by we can walk to the hotel I guess," she remarked. "No walking tonight. You're going to dry out and then get some sun. Thank heaven, I've got some 'ut here," he said, as he drew from a pocket a waterproof cylinder with a screw top.

He searched for a dead stump that might have been spared the deluge

from the skies. Eventually he found one, and digging into it with his knife, began to extract dry, powdery stuff. Wriggling out his handkerchief, he made a pouch of it and filled it with the precious stuff. Back to where Sadie sat he carried the "makin'" and carefully constructed the foundation of his fire. "It's an awful little fire," Sadie commented.

"We'll have the real thing in fifteen minutes."

After his first fire was well under way Stoddard built another some eight or ten feet distant. He found a log and dragged it to a point between the fires. This furnished a seat for them.

"Shoes off!" he commanded unlacing his own boots. Two pairs of stout leather footgear were soon steaming at the edge of the fire toward which they faced.

Sadie fell into a reverie as she watched the crackling blaze, and Stoddard spent the minutes in covertly watching her. The damp coils of fog about her shoulders almost matched the fire itself.

"I'm sorry I had to throw your stuff overboard," he said. "We'd never have managed to get ashore, anyhow." "You'll have to let me lend you some money now."

"Of course my pocketbook is gone," Sadie said. "But I still got twenty-four dollars."

"Better dry it before it turns to pulp," he suggested.

When he returned from his next trip to the woods dragging a fresh log for the fire, he noted two dollar bills and four ones spread out near the rim of the embers and weighted with little stones.

"I can carry wood," she said. "No, sit still. How's the fire?"

"Great! I just like to sit and look into it — and think."

"About what?"

"Everything. Do you know what I was thinking of just as we was upset out there? I was thinking what a grand movie it would make."

"You're one of the film fanatics I take it," he said, laughing. "Who ain't? I mean folks who live in cities and can't get what they want except in the movies. Why, I put aside so much for it every week!"

"How much did you get a week?" he asked curiously.

"Fifteen dollars."

"Not very easy sledding," he said. "Why, I don't know," she returned. "A girl can manage. Why, I had a bank-book! The other girls thought I was a nut. But if they'd've got that letter from you they wouldn't have been able to call on you, like you said to do. They wouldn't've even had car fare." He remembered the phrase, "Anytime I can do anything for you, don't fail to call on me." So she had called — literally!

"Speaking of money," he observed, "let's see what we've got. I have a knife and eleven matches. And here's my watch full of water, and about half a dozen smokes," he said ruefully.

Sadie had been hunting, too, and from a pocket in her skirt she drew forth a damp, sticky cake of chocolate.

"Great!" he exclaimed. "We've got fire, grub, a knife, tobacco. Why, we're millionaires!"

Stoddard squirmed into his damp boots and made a series of journeys into the brush, returning each time with his arms full of balsam-boughs.

"I'm going to make you a bed," he explained.

Drowsy she stretched herself upon the balsam couch.

"It's soft and springy and it smells good," she said sleepily. "I've had some outdoors, anyhow."

After a while Stoddard propped his back against a tree and his head dropped forward on his breast.

It was the sun shining in her eyes that awakened Sadie. She rose cautiously from her balsam couch and tiptoed toward the edge of the lake. "I'll take a little walk," she said. "No. 44 needs his sleep."

Carefully picking her way along the rocks, Sadie followed the winding shore. At last, looking out across the lake, she became aware of something familiar in the landscape. She glanced toward the woods. Fifty yards beyond she glimpsed the figure of Stoddard, still prone on the earth. He stirred, then sat up, rubbing his eyes. "Hello!" he called as he saw Sadie. "How long have you been up?"

"Half an hour, maybe."

"You should have called me what have you been doing?"

"I took a walk. It's a island. He walked to the point, examining his horizon, and returned. "It's Pickle Bay," he said.

"I've been in here often," he added, "but never camped on this island. How are you feeling?"

"Oh, fine."

"I suppose you're hungry?" he said. "We might nibble a little of that chocolate." He divided half of it between them and put the remainder aside. "We'll need that for lunch if we don't find something else," he explained. "I wonder what Larry's thinking." "Larry?"

Stoddard was annoyed at his slip. He had not intended to tell her about Larry.

"The man I'm camped with," he explained. "He's a greenhorn in the woods."

"Aren't you working up here?" she asked presently.

"No," he admitted reluctantly. "I'm taking a vacation."

Sadie began to look troubled. "Where are you from?" she asked. "New York."

"Then you've no interests here?" Stoddard gasped desperately at a straw.

"Oh, I've got interests here, of course. Yet, indeed." His camp was an interest; Livingston was an

interest. Sadie was an interest. "I thought you must have interests," she said, relieved. "It'd be an awful joke on me if you were just a butter-in up here, like I am."

Stoddard felt his face flush as he met her clear eyes. Almost he yielded to the impulse to tell her the exact situation, yet he held back. "Want to do a little exploring? I'd like to make a trip around this island myself."

"I'll show you the way," she said proudly.

Near the farther end of the island, Stoddard diverged from their course along the shore.

"Here's where there's been a camp," he explained.

The blackened stones of a fireplace occupied the center of a small clearing. There were a couple of benches, made from saplings nailed across convenient trees, and a table of like workmanship, its top composed of bark strips.

A cupboard was represented by a wooden box fastened to a tree. There was a litter of rusted tin cans near by and a few sticks of split wood.

"Tin canners," said Stoddard, contemptuously. "Too lazy to throw the cans overboard."

"Slack housekeepers," she said with a nod.

"That's it. A man ought to keep the woods as clean as he would his own house."

"Cleaner," declared Sadie emphatically.

"Hunt around a bit and see what you can find," he advised. "Perhaps this time we'll be glad they didn't clean up."

Sadie instinctively made for the cupboard and in a covered tin box she found crackers. The box was a third full.

"Can I have one?" she asked.

"Why, you poor kid!" he exclaimed. "Eat as many as you want."

"I'll count 'em first," she said. There were twenty-seven crackers.

"Half of 'em yours and half mine," she went on. "Well divide the odd one. I'm going to eat three now. How many are you going to eat? Can you do with four?"

"All right," he laughed.

Stoddard continued his hunt about the camp, occasionally picking up bits of twine. Sadie discovered a rusty file.

"Now, look for fish-hooks," Stoddard directed. "In the trees. Some campers have a habit of sticking fish-hooks in the bark around camp."

A moment later, Sadie ran to him with a pair of hooks attached to a gut leader.

"I thought so, from the look of the place," he remarked. "A lot of these people throw away more outfit than they use. They ought to have nurses instead of guides."

"It ain't for us to knock 'em, No. 44. We ought to be passin' resolutions and votin' thanks. They've even fed us."

"Well, let's go on," he said after a final look around. "We'll come back, we need anything else." He put his treasures in an empty land pad.

"It's a regular notion-counter," she affirmed. "Say this is some

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island, ain't it? Tell me something else to find."

"Bugs. For bait."

"I ain't strong for bugs," she sighed. "But tell me where to look for them."

"If we only had the shrimp here, we could use him, too," she observed. Stoddard laughed.

"Your antipathy to Hellenas seems rather relentless, Sadie. I'm afraid you won't like my friend

Larry."

"How big is he?"

He indicated the approximate attitude of Livingston.

"That's a little more than a shrimp," she said judiciously. "I'd say he was a peewee. But if he's a friend of yours I might stretch him

into a sparrow. That's a little bigger yet. But it's a clutch he ain't a man, No. 44."

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The schedules of the leading institutions for 1922 contain many clashes that will enable the critics to get a good line on the style of game used in the different sections of the country.

University of Chicago will be host to Princeton and the University of Georgia in 1922. It will be the west against the east and south.

Iowa will journey to New Haven to play Yale. While Iowa loses four of its regulars, Coach Jones expects to have a strong team. This game will be in the nature of a family affair, with Howard Jones coaching Iowa and Tad at Yale.

Michigan is to dedicate two new stadiums next year. Yost's eleven will journey south to play Vanderbilt at Nashville. This will also be a family affair. Dan McGuffey, who coaches Vanderbilt, is a brother-in-law of Yost. This game will mark the opening of Vanderbilt's new stadium. Michigan will also be the attraction when Ohio State dedicates its new field.

Indiana has arranged a home and home series for 1922 and 1923 with the University of West Virginia, which always boasts of a strong team.

Notre Dame, which always has a hard schedule, will take on the Army in the east and Georgia Tech in the south. A home and home series has been scheduled with the southern school.

Kansas will journey east and play West Point. Leland Stanford will come to Lawrence for a game with Kansas.

Centre college has again signed to meet Harvard. The Centre game is one of the features of the Harvard schedule. Each team has a victory to its credit and next year's clash will be in the nature of a rubber.

Yes, the season of 1922 in football promises some very interesting sport.

## BOWLING RESULTS

### INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

(Y. M. C. A. ALLEYS)

Coon	150	232	167
Schroeder	125	155	116
Glebo	116	122	116
Hefner	138	177	155
Day	180	115	200
Totals	758	917	810

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(RECREATION ALLEYS)

Willett	166	178	171
O'Donnell	161	159	137
Hyland	172	157	158
Yonkiser	110	112	126
McNamara	153	179	129
Totals	792	810	761

### Red Sox

Thompson	139	118	168
Condit	138	118	141
Walsh	138	197	151
O'Brien	101	118	158
Goodrich	187	208	151
Totals	717	859	836

### Cubs

Kennedy	163	171	167
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Callahan	111	114	121
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James Swaney, by C. J. Brotherton, His Attorney.

## ONLY MADE 1 ERROR DURING SEASON

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BY "STUFFY" McINNIS  
PLAYING first base is no longer considered a soft job. Once upon a time it was thought that all a first baseman had to do was catch thrown balls.

Working on that theory a lot of players after they started to slip at their regular position, began to think about becoming a first baseman.

Those days, however, are over. There is really as much, if not more, to do around first base than any of the other infield positions.

Hal Chase unquestionably changed the style of first-base play. It was Chase who first came tearing in right under the batter's nose to take a bunt and force a runner at some other base.

It was Hal Chase who first originated the idea of playing a deep first base. This made it possible for him to get a lot of ground balls, and make a play at first base that otherwise would have been base hits.

**CITIZEN CHASE'S STYLE.**  
It was Hal Chase who made a practice of getting the thrown ball first and then touching the base after receiving the throw. Previously first basemen had always stationed themselves on the bag, regardless of the direction of the throw.

I believe I am the first fellow, who hasn't measured around six feet, who has been a success at first base. When Connie Mack told the world he intended to make a first baseman out of me, it surely sounded. Every one said it was impossible for so short a player to succeed at first. There have been a lot of first basemen about my height since.

**LEFT-HANDER HAS THE EDGE.**  
No longer is it necessary for a first baseman to be a six-footer to have a chance to make good in the American League, or any other league. That theory has been cast to the winds.

I fight off the left I want to say that I think a left-handed thrower has much the better of a right-hander, when playing first base to considered. He has all the natural advantages which make it much easier on a great many plays.

A left-handed first baseman is always in position to make a throw to any base when a play comes up. Often it is necessary for a right-hander to shift his position before making the throw. The fraction of a second that is lost is often fatal.

**MUST BE ON TAIL.**  
When a player catches a ball in his gloved hand, it is often regarded as a grandstand effort. That doesn't go for a first baseman. He, more than any other player on the field, must be an adept at catching balls in his gloved hand.

On a great many thrown balls where the play is certain to be close, handling of the ball with the gloved hand is the only possible way to win the decision. For that reason any fellow who hopes to make good at first base must be an expert with the gloved hand. That is why I constantly handle thrown balls in practice that way.

**SOME INTERESTING DOPE.**  
It is also a very good idea for a first baseman to stretch out as far as possible on every throw, without putting himself off his stride. This stretch makes the ball travel a few feet less than it is received while in an upright position. A few feet often decide the plays at first.

There is no more difficult play for a first baseman to make than handling a ball which is thrown directly in the path of the runner. It requires much courage, because a collision always threatens which very often causes serious injury. It always seems the stationary body, the first baseman, gets the worst of it.

**MUST USE HIS HEAD.**  
Another difficult play is on a ball hit at the first baseman with a runner on that base. He must immediately figure the speed of the ball and the runner, to determine his chances for a force. If the ball is hard hit he must make a perfect throw to second and then hustle back to first if he is to complete a double play.

When it is possible that the runner intends to bunt, I never run in blind on the ball as there is always a chance he may shift.  
I never stand on the bag when about to receive a thrown ball. Always just a few feet away, so as to shift accordingly.

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**ATTACHMENT NOTICE**  
L. E. Parker, Plaintiff, vs. W. W. Shupe, Defendant.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of December, 1921, said justice of the peace of Ottawa township, Allen County, Ohio, has rendered judgment in the above entitled case for the sum of \$16.00 and costs in this case.  
Said case will be for hearing on January 15th, 1922, at nine o'clock a. m. in Court Room No. 1, Allen County, Ohio.  
L. E. Parker, Plaintiff.  
12-16-6wks.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
Respectfully, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 14th day of December, 1921, the undersigned as Plaintiff filed her suit against said Resene L. Cochran as Defendant, in the Common Pleas Court of Allen County, Ohio, where same is now pending as Case No. 2017, that in her petition in said cause she prays for a divorce from said defendant on the grounds of Gross Neglect of Duty and for such other relief as the Court may deem proper, said cause will be for hearing on and after January 27, 1922, unless she do appear and answer said petition.  
Lima, Ohio, Dec. 16th, 1921.  
Hazel Cochran, by Ernest M. Botkin, Her Attorney.  
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## YANKEE STAR NOT PLEASED OVER RECENT DEAL



ROGER PECKINPAUGH



LEVELAND — Is Roger Peckinpaugh pleased at being traded by New York to Boston? Roger Peckinpaugh is not pleased.

Why would Roger Peckinpaugh much rather play with New York next season?

Because Roger Peckinpaugh feels that New York will win the American League pennant, which means a cut of at least \$4,000 in the world series.

Will Roger Peckinpaugh play with the Boston Red Sox next summer? Roger Peckinpaugh will play with Boston, provided Owner Harry Frazee produces a contract that is interesting.

## CENTRE HAS UNIQUE IDEAS ON PLAYING FOOTBALL

FOOTBALL and religion—is there a connection? Does football lead to religion?

Do boys most seriously devoted to the teachings of God make the best football players?

Centre College, the tiny school which defeated Harvard on the gridiron this year, firmly believes that football and religion are connected.

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Football is the game which exacts the heaviest toll of the stuff of which men are made, and unless a boy lives right and is at peace with his own conscience, he cannot arise to great heights on the gridiron.

**NOT RELIGIOUS SCHOOL.**  
Centre College is not a school of religion, but it has given to the pulpit 300 ministers, and six of these have been moderators of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church.

Many of these ministers played on Centre football teams and records show that they were powers of the teams. Three of the 11 men who formed Centre's first football team in 1891 now are ministers. Every man on Centre's first team is living and all are active in church work.

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## SOUTH HI DEFEATS ALUMNI CAGERS

Coach Ward Young's South Hi basketball quintet upset the selected alumni five in the annual game played in the South gymnasium Thursday night. When the game ended the score stood 27 to 17 with the grads on the short end of the count.

The regular South squad made the first score after only a few minutes of play and not once during the game could the alumni aggregation succeed in blocking the baskets being made from all angles of the floor.

Berger, South's lanky center, made three field goals from the middle of the floor and easily outclassed any other man in the game.

Ireland played right guard for the grads. Last year he played that position with the regular South Hi team and last night he showed his old-time fight.

Between halves it was announced that arrangements had been completed to bring the Woodward Tech squad of Toledo to South for a game Wednesday night, January 28.

The line-up and summary of the game last night follows:  
Varsity (27) Pos. Alumni (17)  
Haman . . . rf. . . . Brookhart  
Wingardner . . . lf. . . . Siferd  
Berger . . . c. . . . McClain  
James . . . rg. . . . Ireland  
Williams . . . lg. . . . Blank

Summary — Substitutions — Emans for Wingardner, Smith for Berger, Field Goals — Haman 2, Wingardner 1, Emans 1, Berger 3, James 1, Williams 2, Brookhart 2, Siferd 2, McClain 1, Ireland 1, For Goals — Haman 1, James 6 (out of seven tries), Siferd 4 (out of five tries), McClain 1 (out of one try). Referees — Waller, Thomas.

## St. Rose Plays Sidney Tonight

St. Rose plans to stage a comeback tonight in a game with the Sidney Hi quintet at Sidney, after having been wallowed a week ago by the catholic aggregation at Fort Wayne, Ind.

This same team was defeated three weeks ago here by St. Rose 40 to 5, and rumors from the Sidney village have it that the quintet has been considerably strengthened and is determined to send the Lima team back home with the short end of a top-sided score.

Ten men will accompany Coach Bob Baker to Sidney tonight. Daley and Wells will start at the forward positions with Cunningham at center. Schmiesing and Buchanan will do the defensive work. O'Connor, Ranniger, Hanley, P. McNamara and W. McNamara will be taken along as substitutes.

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# HEROES LOOK INTO GUN MUZZLES - IN FILMS

(BY ESTHER WAGNER.)  
YOU coward, you haven't the nerve to shoot!" So challenges Jack Holt in "The Call of the North." His first starring vehicle. And the villain doesn't shoot. Later Jack has the villain at the threatening end of a revolver. The villain bates himself to impending death, but Jack doesn't shoot him. Undoubtedly there's a bit of psychology in the situation. The unflinching bravery of a man about to die is likely to make impotent the hand of the assassin, for generally

the man who would shoot an unarmed adversary is a weakling. His mind would be ready subject to the influence of a man brave enough to face death unflinchingly. "The Call of the North" is an adaptation of "The Conjuror's House," by Stewart Edward White. Its out-door settings in rugged mountains and placid lakes of the north command commendation. They are of rare beauty. Jack Holt proves in this film he is worthy of stardom.

## Michigan Opera, "Make It For Two," a Lasting Hit

In a blaze of light and color, and before a huge and enthusiastic audience, the Michigan debut "Make It For Two" made its debut on Lima Thursday evening. To say that the offering made a hit is hardly sufficient, it was a riot. No professional troupe, no legitimate attraction was ever brought here that could hold a candle to the place. The sets, costumes, etc. were superb. The dancing numbers, especially, showed the diligent training and were perfect. The songs and lyrics, all composed by Michigan students, were lovely and of a distinctly new type. The striking 'chorus' girls, in elaborate costumes which were worn with a decidedly feminine air, were, perhaps, the hit of the show. The one incongruity lay in the deep voices, but they could hardly be changed. The occasion of the Michigan presentation was a social event of the

season, as well as theatrical, and society turned out on masse to witness the performance. Sprinkled throughout the audience were many Michigan students, past and present, and many old acquaintances were renewed during the intermissions. The genial atmosphere, the enthusiastic crowd, the proud alumni and beaming students all created an aura of the real college spirit. It is unexplainable, but it was there. Much could be said of the work of every individual member of the cast, the principals, the author, the orchestra. Their work showed remarkable ability and unstinted practice, and a professional snap and surety seldom associated with college productions. So "Make It For Two" will linger in the memory of those who saw it as the leading theatrical event of 1921-22, and the boys deserved the hearty welcome accorded them on their first appearance in Lima.

## "As You Were," New Bill at Orpheum

THERE'S a large percentage of lively fun at the Orpheum this time, and the two comedians with the Broadway Vanities Co., keep up a steady fire of nonsense and bits of monologue that keep the audience chuckling. Several of the songs are first-rate; others not so good. The chorus

ladies appear in new costumes and new steps and aid greatly in the assembly numbers. "As You Were" continues at the Orpheum today and Saturday. Christmas Day will be the inauguration of a vaudeville bill of six acts, for the one day only.

## "A Pair of Silk Stockings"—at Lyric

IT'S interesting to watch a now-famous star cavort thru the reels of one of her earlier screen successes when she was "just beginning," you might say. So, we enjoyed watching Constance Talmadge in "A Pair of Silk Stockings" made in the good old days when Harrison Ford was her leading man and Connie had her long tresses.

"A Pair of Silk Stockings" is a free-throut, clean but spicy. It tells the story of a husband and wife who become estranged because friend husband tried too clever a scheme to make his wife jealous. It didn't work. There's all kinds of entanglements, with the pair of silk stockings the key of which unlocks all the troubles. You will, no doubt, notice little things like photography, etc., not as good as Connie's newer pictures. But you'll enjoy the picture just the same for the story is a clever one and Constance and Harrison are as congenial a pair of film players as could be desired.

## "The Hunch" With Gareth Hughes—Sigma

WHILE Gareth Hughes is a popular young man and has several creditable cinemas to his credit, "The Hunch" is hardly a vehicle for him. It is a fairly amusing and well produced affair, from the story by Percival Wilde, appearing some time ago in a monthly magazine. Really, one can see why a producer grabbed it up as a photoplay, for it has infinite possibilities for screen purposes. It sets forth the story of a young man, of moderate means in love with the daughter of a wealthy financier. The daughter loves him more than does her father, who stipulates, with much force, that the two cannot marry until young Mr. Humphrey has a million dollars. One morning following a convivial night young Humphrey finds written on his cuff "Buy Jerusalem steel." He has a hunch he had better buy Jerusalem steel. He goes to his finances about it, who hustles him to a man who in turn lends the hunch a hundred thousand dollars (just like that). Next day, as the subtitle says, "Jerusalem, Steel gives a good imitation of an express elevator on its way to the basement." Then things begin to happen about which I shall not tell you. Roy Barpes, Doug McLean or even Harrison Ford would have made the picture a riot. Mr. Hughes' imitation, however, seems weak, timid and cowardly throat. Ethel (and for many years a minor star) in the movies, "comes back" in this picture. There are a number of laughs in the whole thing and some of the comedy is really amusing. It's much for "The Hunch." It's at the Sigma today and Saturday.

"Headin' West," his latest Western feature for Universal. Louise Lorraine is Hoot's leading woman in this picture.

It is said that an American film concern is on its knees to the Duke of Manchester, beseeching that he will allow himself to be filmed. How can we await his answer!

Alice Calhoun has been transferred from Vitagraph's Brooklyn studio to their Hollywood lot, and will soon begin work on a picture titled "Blue-bells."

Among all-star cast planned for Lasky's "Is Matrimony a Failure?" are Roy Barpes, Walter Hiers, Lila Lee, Adolphe Menjou, and Charles Ogle. James Cruze will wield the megaphone.

Madge Bellamy is leading woman for Jack Holt in his second starring picture for Paramount "While Satan Sleeps." This story is an adaptation of Peter B. Kyne's "Parson of Panamint," and is being directed by Joseph Henabery.

"The Gilded Cage" has been bought as a vehicle for Gloria Swanson. That is an adaptation of "Love Dreams," a musical comedy now playing on Broadway.

THE MOVIE GRAB BAG  
Allen Holubar will direct Dorothy Phillips in "Soul Seekers."

Griffith's next may be "East Is West" Fay Bainter's stage success.

"The Sheik" played to 112,625 in one week's run at the Rivoli and Rialto, New York.

An Italian spectacle film based on the love tragedy of Dante and Beatrice is being sent to America.

Eva Novak plays the feminine lead in "Arctic Trails," Tom Mix's next.

"An Able-Minded Lady" is the title of Henry B. Walthall's current picture.

"Just Around the Corner," featuring Sigrid Holmquist, Swedish star, will be released this month.

Constance Talmadge is to have two leading men in "The Divorcee," Harrison Ford and Kenneth Harlan.

IN THE WAKE OF STARS  
Gladys Walton is to star in "Second Hand Rose," based on the popular song of that name.

"The Beautiful Lie," That's the beautiful title Katherine MacDonald has given "Your Truly."

Tote Du Crow, long a clown with Ringling and Barnum and Bailey, is in the cast of "The Vermilion Pencil."

## THEATRE DIRECTORY

AT THE FAUROT  
Phil Clayton is starred in "Beyond" which opens a two-day engagement today at the Faurot Opera House. Also added features

AT THE MAJESTIC  
Harry Carey in "If Only Jim"

FILM FLASHES  
"Under Orders," Jack Hoxie's next

"Loo! Pleasant Please," latest release of Harold Lloyd one-reel comedies

Re Stewart and Louise Lovely appear in "Life's Greatest Question"

Bill and Bob, the boy trappers show how to catch the weasel, the invader of the chicken coop, in their latest film.

The movements of Tilden and Johnston, tennis champs, are shown in slow motion in the latest Pathe Review.

Herbert Rawlinson is to be starred in a picture adapted from a story written by a man serving a life sentence in the Arizona penitentiary.

Hugo Riesenfeld's adaptation of "La Tosca" to screen opera proved so popular that he is running it for the second week at the Rialto, New York.

CLOSEUPS  
Dorothy Dalton carries the queerest ten you ever saw in her coming Paramount picture, "Fool's Paradise." It's—but wait till you see it. Paul Iribe, French artist, designed it. It's stunning.

Ormi Hawley, once of Lubin, is to be seen soon in a photoplay of her own called "The American Prince."

Hoot Gibson is just finishing



Jack Holt's favorite role is as hero to Jack Holt, Jr., who is two years old. Holt's first stellar vehicle, "The Call of the North," has just been released.

played together on the stage 25 years ago. They are working together for the first time since then in "Is Matrimony a Failure?"

Gloria Swanson is enjoying a brief vacation between pictures.

Bert Lytell has finished "The Phantom Bride" for Metro—a starring vehicle in which Sylvia Breamer had an important role—and is vacationing for a few days at Catalina Island.

After finishing "The Lane That Had No Turning," Agnes Ayers is taking a brief rest before beginning a new Paramount starring picture, the title of which is yet to be announced.

Marshall Neilan has practically finished work on "Penrod," the Booth Tarkington classic in which Wesley Barry plays the title role.

Mildred Davis is enacting the role of a little country girl in Harold Lloyd's latest comedy, "The White Feather." At the completion of this picture, Lloyd is planning a brief visit to New York.

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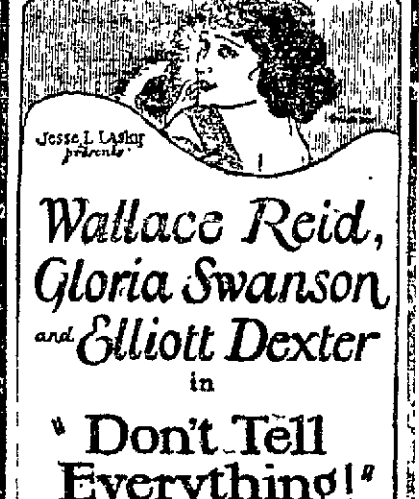


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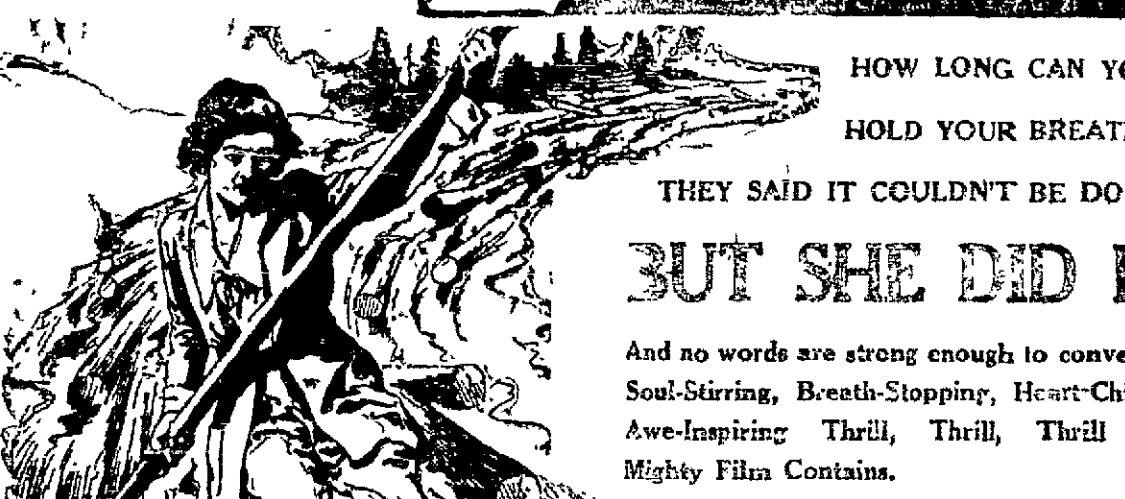
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FOR SALE—GEISE FOR CHRISTMAS. Phone Main 6611.

PAIR COMPUTING SCALES, CALL State 1218.

FOR SALE—A COLLIE AND SHIRAZ pup, very pretty, marketable \$2.00. Female \$2.50 each. Phone Cole 5414. V. Krueh, E. High-st-14.

## Xmas Guide STARTS HERE

Read—Read—Read

- A—Gifts for Her
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- D—Gifts for Home
- E—Dinner and Decorations

### CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

#### GIFTS FOR HER 1A

An exclusive line of hand made stationery and art pottery suggests most unusual gifts for Xmas. Schell's Book Store.

A dainty gift that pleases the woman of good taste is a book. We have an exceptionally large showing at lower prices.—Bloom's.

A scholarship at Lima Business College. The most practical gift for your daughter.

A table lamp or floor lamp for the living room. Beautifully priced. Bloom's.

A gift of a new dress for her own wear. Bloom's. And they are not expensive at Bloom's either—from \$12.99 upwards.

CURLING IRONS, vibrators and cordless lamps for pleasing and practical gifts. The Westworth-Dean Co.

Does she admire the deep shades of blue? Then send her a dress. They are in beautiful blouses of the smartest styles in the Bloom's Shop at Bloom's.

ELECTRICAL gifts of percolators, toasters, grills, irons and lamps for the home at the Westworth-Dean Co.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS for the girl's first Christmas—Savings Bank Book and Bank. The Lima Trust Co. "The Bank That Serves."

Give lasting gifts—set them at Bloom's. Bloom's Removal Sale of Jewelry—20 to 50% saved on every purchase.

GIVE Victor records for Christmas—John Music Co.

Is her set complete? Then why not give her a piece of Ivory Parlor—a gift that covers girl values. Bloom's Art and Gift Shop carries a complete line.

Mother would appreciate a new pillow for the davenport more than you know—and don't you think that velvet and lacey pillow suit her best? Come in and look at the unusual pillow display at Bloom's. There are all kinds of new suggestions.

New Bath Hats, for trimmed or braided, at the Gem Millinery Shop, 267 S. Main-st.

Show White Irish Linen—what would please her more? And linen prices are surprisingly low this Christmas, too, at Bloom's.

Has she a defaulter for her dressing table. She would appreciate one with Cady's L'Origan. The House Bloom's are showing.

The things that are small are some times appreciated most. Handkerchiefs are in this class. The prices are lower and the qualities better at Bloom's.

SHRIMP her with an Electric Sewing Machine for \$3.00. Also electric and portable sewing machines \$60 and up. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 226 S. Main, Phone Main 4127.

Wrapping Paper for Xmas parcels. Beautiful white, bleached, large sheets. See roll, Allen Paper Co., 115 N. High.

You can find numberless gifts for her in the Art Shop at Bloom's. Come in and get suggestions.

When you are all gone and it is raining and Mother and Sister are waiting, you can't go shopping unless you give her one for Christmas, and you can be sure that she will appreciate it. Bloom's have a fine selection.

Your Xmas cards purchased early will give you the benefit of unlimited selections. Schell's Book Store. No finer Christmas cards could be found in the larger cities.

SPATS FOR A CHRISTMAS GIFT will be sure to please. Different styles and in the most popular shades—faint, tan and heaver. Klunsky's, W. High-st.

SATIN HATS, ETC. TRIMMED OR untrimmed. Early spring models. Day-Bert Hat Shop, 224 S. Main.

GRAND STUDIO, 132 E. HIGH—21 hours service for your Xmas pictures on cabinet and postcard mountings. Studio open day or night.

BLANKETS WILL MAKE A PLEASING Xmas gift. We have a 72x96 heavy cotton blanket for \$2.45, a 72x96, 75 per cent wool blanket is \$2.85. The Chicago Credit House.

IMPORTED PERFUMED POTTERY and hand-wrought iron at Johnson's Gift Shoppe, 114 W. North.

ASK TO SEE OUR NEW GOLD AND silver bronze candlesticks, vases and ornaments, many beautiful gifts in this line will be found at our store. Baskinger's Jewelry Store.

BIG SALE AND CUT PRICE ON EVERYTHING, step in at the Art Shop, Recent Theatre Bldg.

### CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

#### GIFTS FOR HIM 11B

Don't think that he would appreciate a traveling bag, leather bag or suitcase. He would appreciate a gift that he can get very reasonable at Bloom's too.

A gift that she sure to please. Send The Lima News to your out of town friends.

Every man who travels to any extent whatever likes to own a fine trunk. Look over the selections at Bloom's and see if you don't agree that he should have one this Christmas.

GIVE LASTING GIFTS—GET THEM at Bloom's. Bloom's Removal Sale of Jewelry—20 to 50% saved on every purchase.

A hand bag or suit case would make him or her a fine Xmas present. Largest line of traveling goods in city at Michaels.

HOUSE SHIPPERS for the man of the house. Many different styles to select from at Bloom's. W. High-st.

JUST A SUGGESTION FOR HIM—Cap, Ties and Mail Extracts at Bloom's. 141 S. Main.

A gift that's sure to please. Send The Lima News to your out of town friends.

## DOINGS OF THE DUFFS—A SAFE BET—



THIS WILL BE A GOOD PLACE TO HIDE WILBUR'S CHRISTMAS PRESENT. I DON'T WANT HIM TO SEE IT UNTIL--WHAT'S THAT PACKAGE DOING UP THERE? I NEVER SAW IT BEFORE.



OH! A SET OF FURS AND I'LL BET THEY'RE FOR ME--MY CHRISTMAS PRESENT FROM WILBUR. AND HE HAD THEM TO SURPRISE ME--OH THE DEAR!!



MR. WILBUR DUFF, PLEASE--OH HELLO, HONEY, HOW ARE YOU?--I WAS JUST THINKING ABOUT YOU--YES AND I HAVE YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENT ALL BOUGHT AND PAID FOR--NO, I'M NOT GOING TO TELL YOU WHAT IT IS TILL CHRISTMAS--DO YOU LOVE ME? OH YOU DEAR BOY--YOU'RE SO WONDERFUL!

By ALLMAN

### CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

#### GIFTS FOR THE CHILDREN 11C

For Dolly & the main gift at Christmas and without one it would be no Christmas at all. Look over the large selection at Bloom's Doll Shop before choosing--you may find just what she wants there.

The Lima News sent to your boy or girl away from home is sure to please. Bloom's.

Your daughter asked for a Harley-Davidson Bicycle. Get her one this Xmas. Bloom's & Schell's, 124 N. Union.

REAL DOLLS THAT WON'T BREAK no matter what you do with them. Some with bone, wood and other just like babies. They have natural hair, eyes, too. Berry's Doll Hospital, 322 W. North-st.

HANGER! Bicycle, domestic and imported type chemistry, electric motors, Clapp, Eastman and Murdoch Radio supplies. Advice given on how to build and radio set. Crossley's, 267 S. Main-st.

CHILDREN LOVE "SKOOKUM" THE great Indian character doll at Johnson's Gift Shoppe, 111 W. North.

### CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

#### GIFTS FOR THE HOME 11D

Oriental rugs, mats, small or room size, are something that the whole family will be proud of. They range from \$10 upwards this year at the special Oriental Rug Sale at Bloom's. Royal Sarouks at \$29.

A player piano or a Brunswick phonograph make a fine gift for the home. Maus Piano Co.

Bibles and Testaments, Scofield, Oxford, Holman, Nelson Revised, Weymouth, Prayer Book, Bible Dictionary, Concordances, Peloubets and Tanhills Notes. Books for Boys, Girls, Adults. Popular Copyrights, Bibles, Testaments, Stationery, various other gifts. Webb Book & Bible Co., 141 W. Spring.

THE FAMOUS JEWEL GLASS in many new colors and shapes at Johnson's Gift Shoppe, 111 W. North.

Electrical Gifts of Percolators, Toasters, Grills, Irons and Lamps for the home at the Westworth-Dean Co.

YOU WILL FIND GREAT VALUES at our rug sale. \$12 rug for \$2.95, \$24.50 and a \$50 rug now only \$29.75. The Chicago Credit House, 212 S. Main-st.

FOR A CHRISTMAS PRESENT--BUY a good quality and cage. I have just received a fine lot of imported birds in full song; also cages and stands. Mrs. C. A. Wheeler, 222 N. Union-st.

LUMINOUS CRUCIFIXES Guaranteed to Shine Gift Finish... \$2.50 Wood Finish... \$2.50 Phone High 3551, 115 N. West St.

CHOOSE YOUR XMAS GIFTS FROM the complete line of electrical goods. Electric toasters, grills, lamps and washing machines. See our window display. The Spitzer Hardware Co., 182-184 S. Main-st.

### CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

#### DINNER AND DECORATIONS 11E

Christmas dinner won't be complete without pastry and cake from the Purdy Bakery. Special Fruit Cakes, Christmas, 456 S. Main, High 1569.

Beautifully decorated book-ends in the wood and metal and many Roycroft hand made things along with the finest selection of books in the city. Schell's Book Store.

Cut Flowers, Xmas wreaths and table and home decorations at The Flower Shop, N. Main-st, Main 3422.

Home Made Fruit Cakes, English Plum Puddings and Mince Meat. Place your holiday orders now at Home Dairy, 132 W. High, Lake 3361.

Electric Christmas tree decorations at Westworth & Dean.

TAKE HER TO THE HOTEL NORVAL for dinner while you are selecting your gifts, \$11 the cover. Service 6 to 8 p. m.

### 11 MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

FOR SALE--COMPLETE SET of side curtains for Overland Model 41; curtains are new and only used slightly. Will sell cheap for cash. Call Main 2965 after 2:30 p. m.

FOR SALE--1 WHITE IVORY READING lamp \$10.00, 1214 E. Elm. Phone 1166 3567.

FOR SALE--GENTLEMAN'S DRESS suit, Tuxedo, 140. Phone High 5012.

### 12 HOUSEHOLD GOODS

FOR SALE--1 LARGE FURNED oak library table with writing desk combination drawer, two 1812 Alexander rug, 1 girls 12 year size plush coat. Prices right. State 5559.

HIGHEST CASH PRICES PAID FOR HOUSEHOLD GOODS OF ALL KINDS E. McCLINCH 448 S. Main St. Lake 1560

### WE PAY HIGHEST PRICES FOR ALL KINDS HOUSEHOLD GOODS. R. F. JOHNS, 212 S. MAIN. MAIN 4354.

### 13 ROOMS FOR RENT

681 W. SPRING--DOWNSTAIRS housekeeping rooms, completely furnished, front entrance; furnace heat.

231 S. PINE--FOR RENT 2 FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, first floor, modern. Phone High 4507.

FOR RENT--LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING rooms, 916 Greenlawn, Phone Rice 4105.

20 FURNISHED ROOMS FOR light housekeeping, suitable modern, steam heat, 536 S. Elizabeth, Main 2225.

FOR RENT--NEW 5 ROOM APARTMENT on N. West-st, basement, a room on first floor, modern and bath on second, 326 N. Main, Phone Rice 3574.

FOR RENT--3 ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping on first floor, part modern, close in, at reasonable price. Call Rice 2105.

### HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT--7 ROOM DWELLING S. Broadway, modern, about 1000 sq. ft. newly papered and painted. Call Main 1055.

FOR RENT--\$20 S. MAIN, 9 ROOM house, modern except kitchen. Phone State 3507 or Inquire 91 S. Main-st.

FOR RENT--7 ROOM BUNK HOUSE on W. Wayne, Phone Rice 4100.

FOR RENT--5 ROOM OFFICE FURNISHED and garage on Main-ave. Call Main 5531.

FOR RENT--HALF FURNISHED HOUSE, 622 W. Elm, modern \$10.00 High 1338.

### FOR RENT

Six-room, strictly modern double house, with garage. Good location in West End. Cheap rent for this class property. Call Main 3727.

### 18 APTS & FLATS (For Rent)

FIVE ROOM MODERN APARTMENT, heat and hot water furnished, 113 S. Metcalf, State 4125.

FOR RENT 5 ROOM MODERN apartment in Torrey Court, C. W. Murphy and Elizabeth, call Rice 5457.

### 21 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

#### FOR SALE

50 shares of the Lima Coal Co. at a bargain. Write Mr. Stock, in care of News.

PARTY WITH \$500. EXPERIENCE unnecessary if satisfied with \$50 per week to start. Call Mr. Stue, Norval Hotel from 2 to 5 p. m., and 7 to 8 p. m.

### 22 HORSES AND VEHICLES

FOR SALE--5 HEAD OF HORSES, 2 milk cows, big Holstein, be fresh in a month, 4 year old Jersey cow giving 25 gal. milk per day. Rear, 511 W. High.

FOR SALE--1 GENERAL PURPOSE horse, 6 years old; will sell at a bargain if sold soon. Call anytime at 158 S. Pine-st.

### 23 LIVE STOCK

FOR SALE--3 YOUNG FRESH COWS with calves by side. M. Provo's Livestock Barn, 206 N. Central-ave.

### 28 BUSINESS NOTICES

C. F. WOOLERY  
Tuner and repairer of pianos. Years of experience should be a sufficient guarantee. Call me for prices. Phone Main 4156. 806 N. Jamesor Ave.

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### 31 TRANSFER AND STORAGE

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# CLEANING HOUSE IN WALL-ST

Honest Firms Drummed Out of Stock Exchange

## SUSPICION STARTS PROBE

Right Men Are Now at the Head, Forbes Says

(BY B. C. FORBES)

NEW YORK — (Special) — Dishonesty does not make for comfort. Many in Wall-st and others connected with home to them. More house cleaning is going on by the New York Stock Exchange and by the consolidated Stock Exchange than at any time in its history.

It is an old saying that an organization gradually takes on the character of the man at the head of it. If this be so, the stock exchanges in New York are headed in the right direction.

Seymour L. Cromwell, the present president of the New York Stock Exchange, is an ideal man for the office. He is old enough to have had many experiences, yet young enough to be full of dynamic energy. His reputation is as notable as his commanding physique. He takes his responsibilities as head of the Stock Exchange very seriously. In fact, he gives up a very large part of his time to these duties. Cromwell is tremendously anxious to have the institution and its operations absolutely above reproach. Unlike certain former presidents, President Cromwell is not too proud or too bumptious to listen to suggestions, nor too moss-bound to investigate and act on those deemed wise.

The following incident will illustrate the kind of man at head of the consolidated exchange. A friend of mine received a communication from a certain Consolidated Exchange firm which led him to suspect that the house was "bucketing" its orders. That is, not actually buying shares ordered by customers. He took the communication down to President Cromwell, had a talk with him, and received a promise that the firm's books would be examined the following morning. Investigators were sent out on the job the following morning. The firm made excuses that its books were not posted right up to date and requested that the investigators return the following day. They did, but were again given evasive replies. Permission to make the desired examination thus refused, the firm's wires were immediately ripped out and the firm drummed out of the exchange.

Also the most notorious and powerful bucketshoppers, controlled by men of wealth, were driven out of business some time ago, the bucketing, I have not been eradicated by any means. Indeed, the ramifications of bucketshoppers extend over virtually the whole continent. It is easy enough to have suspicion of improper dealings by brokers; but it is often very difficult to obtain conclusive, black-and-white proof of the wrongdoings.

However, the Stock Exchange authorities have been spending much time, and thought and money to this far-reaching evil and I understand that they are hopeful of being able to clean house more thoroughly than has ever been possible in the past. A indication of what is brewing was shown this week, when quite a number of shady firms had their connections torn out, and thus landed the brokers of the law.

The evils of bucketshopping are both serious and numerous. For example, when a bucketshop finds that most of the stock bought on margin by its customers—but not actually bought by the bucketshop—have advanced substantially in market value, thus entailing heavy losses, the bucketshop compelled to get into the market and obtain certificates for delivery. It is not unusual for customers to find one day that the broker has quietly disappeared overnight, leaving no address. His victims thus lose every dollar they had put up for the purchase of securities.

Another trick of powerful bucketshops—and many of them are in league—is to make a concerted raid on a stock largely held by the bucketshop. By acting suddenly and decisively, the quotations can sometimes be depressed so sharply that the margin put up by customers is entirely wiped out. Then the customer receives a note of regret that it was necessary to sell them out.

Unscrupulous brokers of this stripe are also given to urging customers to buy trashy stocks which are susceptible of being manipulated. The wheeler suits the purpose of the bucketshoppers. This is a large amount of money in the course of a year, put into worthless stocks which, under the advice of legitimate firms, would have been invested in more trustworthy securities.

Some of the brokers who were run out of business this week were guilty of having "rigged" stock quotations. Instead of recording the actual prices prevailing on the exchange, they faked quotations so as to enable them to cheat their customers. One cast-iron rule of the Stock Exchange is that every member and every concern connected with stock exchange firms shall report to every customer the name of the stock exchange firm from whom a stock is bought, or sold, and also the price. A customer can thus check up to ascertain if such a sale or purchase was actually made. The exact time of the purchase or sale is also given. In this way the customer can see whether the price he is charged is in accordance with the quotation ruling of the stock exchange at that particular time.

Another evil which appears to have been gaining headway is the "discretionary pool." That is to say, brokers request customers to hand over funds to them and allow them to use the money in any way they see fit. Usually, glittering promises of dazzling profits are held out. No legitimate brokerage house does business this way, for obvious reasons. Therefore, anyone who receives overtures of this kind can at once set down the makers of these

# NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

(Reported by E. W. Wagner & Co., Citizens Building)

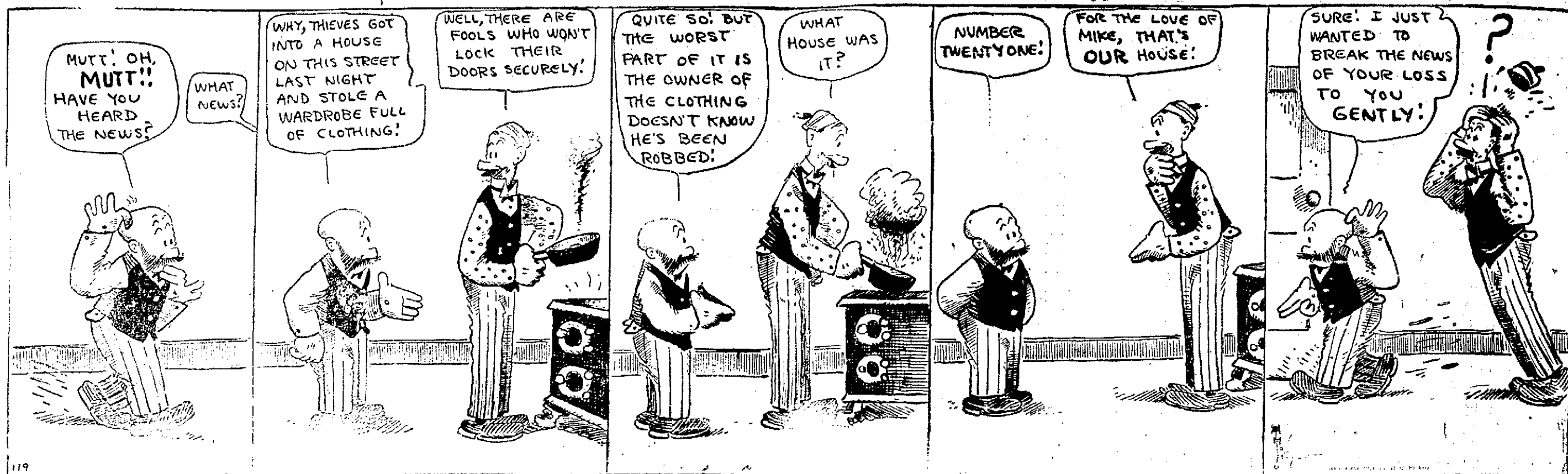
STOCKS—	Open	High	Low	3 P.M.
Am. Can.	33 1/2	33 3/4	33 1/2	33 1/2
Am. Int. Corp.	33 1/2	33 3/4	33 1/2	33 1/2
Am. Loco.	102 1/2	103 1/4	102 1/2	102 1/2
Am. Smelt.	42 1/2	43 1/4	42 1/2	42 1/2
Am. Sug. Ref.	51 1/2	52 1/4	51 1/2	51 1/2
Am. T. & T.	113 1/2	114 1/4	113 1/2	113 1/2
Am. Ziegl.	78 1/2	79 1/4	78 1/2	78 1/2
At. Gen.	47 1/2	48 1/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
At. Loco.	91 1/2	92 1/4	91 1/2	91 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	91 1/2	92 1/4	91 1/2	91 1/2
B. & O.	34 1/2	35 1/4	34 1/2	34 1/2
Cal. Pac.	47 1/2	48 1/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
Cal. Pet.	47 1/2	48 1/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
Can. Pac.	113 1/2	114 1/4	113 1/2	113 1/2
Chandler	30 1/2	31 1/4	30 1/2	30 1/2
C. & O.	55 1/2	56 1/4	55 1/2	55 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	17 1/2	18 1/4	17 1/2	17 1/2
Chino Cop.	15 1/2	16 1/4	15 1/2	15 1/2
Col. & E.	65 1/2	66 1/4	65 1/2	65 1/2
Corn Prods.	97 1/2	98 1/4	97 1/2	97 1/2
Corden	35 1/2	36 1/4	35 1/2	35 1/2
East. Steel	64 1/2	65 1/4	64 1/2	64 1/2
Erle R. E.	47 1/2	48 1/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
Flisk R.	13 1/2	14 1/4	13 1/2	13 1/2
Gen. Am. L.	64 1/2	65 1/4	64 1/2	64 1/2
Gen. Elec.	107 1/2	108 1/4	107 1/2	107 1/2
Gen. Motors	107 1/2	108 1/4	107 1/2	107 1/2
Inspr. Cop.	38 1/2	39 1/4	38 1/2	38 1/2
Int. Alcolac	13 1/2	14 1/4	13 1/2	13 1/2
Int. M. M. F.	13 1/2	14 1/4	13 1/2	13 1/2
Int. M. M. F.	13 1/2	14 1/4	13 1/2	13 1/2
Int. Nickel	51 1/2	52 1/4	51 1/2	51 1/2
Island Oil	23 1/2	24 1/4	23 1/2	23 1/2

# STOCKS MOSTLY REACTIONARY

Few Specialties Bid Up by Pools—Close Irregular

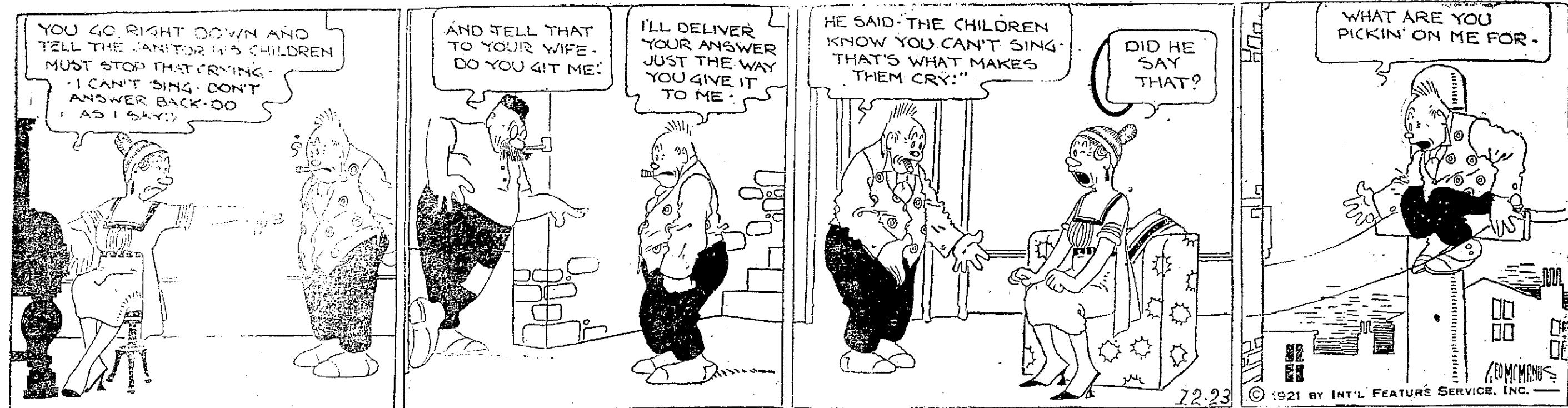
LIBERTY BONDS	
(Courtney The Wheatley Co.)	
2 1/2%	\$93.00
Second 4%	\$94.78
First 4 1/2%	95.25
Third 4 1/2%	95.25
Fourth 4 1/2%	95.66
Fourth 5 1/2%	\$100.02
CINCINNATI -- Hoss, receipts 450 strong to 135 higher. Livestock 7.50 8.00; bullcows and humpers 8.00 8.50; stags 4.00@4.50; heavy rows 5.00@6.00, light shippers 8.00	





BRINGING UP FATHER—

By McMANUS



SHORT SHAVINGS

WE BEG YOUR DOG'S PARDON

Editor, The Lima News.

Permit me to invite attention to a slight error in the "Short Shavings Department" of your usually accurate and valuable organ for dissemination of public information.

It was not my dog, said canine having gone west, died, demised, expired and departed this life on or about the seventeenth day of March, A. D., nineteen hundred nineteen, in or at Camp Grant, Illinois. Exact cause unknown, but believed to be excessive curiosity concerning the anatomical configuration and construction of the south-west supporting member of a government mule.

I trust you will give this correction the necessary publicity to remove the stigma from the memory of as noble a canine as ever chased the Commanding General's orderly off the troop street and used his commanding officer's break as a depository for the proceeds of his burglarious activities, to-wit: bones and other alleged edibles of like nature.

De mortuis nil nisi bonum.

HARRY N. OSGOOD

Until January first A. D. 1921 Secretary to the Mayor, Clerk to the Department of Public Service, Clerk to the Department of Public Safety, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Police Relief Fund, Secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Firemen's Pension Fund, and until further notice Captain in the Cavalry Reserve Corps of the Army of the United States.

Henry Nagel, veteran citizen of Wapakoneta, is fond of horseback riding. A friend tells that Henry was on a highway near his home town recently, astride his favorite mount and when an automobile passed, the horse kicked the vehicle.

The automobile stopped at a farm a short distance down the road, but the driver started up when he saw Henry coming. One of the men was heard to say: "Let's go. Here's that horse again."

George Bayly put an extra strong spring in his phonograph to make it run longer. "I guess it was too strong, or something," he says, "it whirled the records around and threw them against the wall."

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This before Xmas Clearance gives to gift seekers the advantage of after Xmas reductions. Blouses of the finest grade at remarkable savings.

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**\$2.50 \$3.50  
\$4.50 \$7.50  
\$10 \$14.95**

For Blouses Worth \$5 to \$29.75

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Smart one or two skin effects of American Mink, Baumarten, Stone Marten, Fitch Sable.

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A fur piece from Feldman's will be appreciated and will be a lasting remembrance.

## CEDAR CHESTS

A belated shipment came in yesterday by express. We are pricing these for quick selling:

**\$28.00 Chest for \$19.90  
\$30.00 Chest for \$21.21  
\$34.00 Chest for \$23.88  
\$37.00 Chest for \$26.60  
\$39.00 Chest for \$27.83**

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### A Gift With a Purpose

There is a Christmas Gift that not only expresses thoughtful love but sows the seed of thrift in the mind of the recipient; it is the gift of a savings pass book in the Allen County Savings & Loan Company, Market and Elizabeth streets.

It grows.

### DO IT NOW

Everybody knows that it is a good thing to save, that only by thrift can success come. But it is not what you know that saves you. It is what you do. Start a savings account today. Do it now.

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